

FORMER OGLE SHERIFF WIT- NESS IN CASE

Blanchard Summoned to Canada to Testify in Murder Trial

Regina, Sask., Jan. 18.—(Canada Press)—The Crown called additional witnesses today after 15 had testified yesterday at the first day's trial of Harry Heipel, 24-year-old former farmhand, who is charged with murdering J. R. Kraeser, 65, Moosomin farmer.

Incidents surrounding the slaying of Kraeser were related by the Crown's first witnesses before the six-man jury. Heipel, through his counsel, had entered a plea of not guilty.

The Crown has called nearly 50 witnesses, among them former Sheriff Delos Blanchard of Oregon, Ill., near where Heipel was arrested November 19, six days after Kraeser's body was found in a clump of bushes along a remote highway near Winnipeg. The state has charged that Kraeser had given Heipel a "lift" in his car and was slain when he resisted robbery.

John Gillespie testified he found 38 calibre expended revolver shells close to the farm of Mrs. Percy Trout, near where Kraeser's body was found, while police testimony disclosed that 38 calibre expended cartridges also were found at the farm of R. MacFarlane, where Heipel had been employed.

Mrs. Trout said that on November 9 she saw an automobile along the highway parked near a bluff and that after the car had stopped for a short time a man got out and walked around it.

"He was there about 15 minutes when he drove back on the highway," she said.

The car headed toward Winnipeg, after hearing police broadcast a description of Kraeser, she went to the bluff and discovered the frozen body.

A grey automobile similar to the one seen by Mrs. Trout was found in Winnipeg and identified as Kraeser's.

All witnesses were excluded from the courtroom. Two psychiatrists, Dr. H. G. Cameron, assistant to the superintendent of the Weyburn mental hospital, and Dr. O. E. Rothwell of Regina, were in court. H. E. Sampson, Crown prosecutor, said it was customary in capital cases to have the accused examined to ascertain fitness to stand trial. While it was known that Heipel was examined at Regina jail, it was believed unlikely either of the psychiatrists would be called as witnesses.

Activities Traced
The trial today produced evidence on the activities of Heipel at Estevan, previous to his arrival in Regina about the time Kraeser left this city.

At the preliminary hearing a month ago in Sintuluta, evidence was brought out that Heipel had been at Estevan just previous to the time of the alleged murder and had in his possession a .38 calibre revolver.

Brother faced brother after court adjourned yesterday. Time—**FEED THE BIRDS**—

A "Return From Death" Report- ed In New York

New York, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A "return from death" was recorded today by Dr. Maurice R. Goodwin, Bronx physician, in reviving 57-year-old Mrs. Bella Sutterman, after she apparently had succumbed to an attack of asthma.

A heart stimulant, artificial respiration and police inhalators. Dr. Goodwin said, brought the woman "back" in a feat which he described as happening "only once in 10 lifetimes."

The physician, a graduate of the University of Graz, Austria, said that when he arrived at the Sutterman home—some minutes after the woman collapsed—he found relatives and friends bewailing her as dead.

"One look at her and I thought she was dead, too," he said. "I examined her. There was no pulse. No heart action, and she gave every appearance of being dead."

Dr. Goodwin said he administered artificial respiration "without much hope — and in about four minutes I detected a breath."

A police emergency squad used an inhalator for three hours, consuming three tanks of oxygen. "Meanwhile, Mrs. Sutterman's pulse was scarcely distinguishable," Dr. Goodwin said. "Then her breathing became stronger and finally she was able to breathe by herself."

The physician said Mrs. Sutterman was resting comfortably today.

Second Call

A second blood transfusion donated by a member of Dixon post, No. 12, American Legion "blood bank" project, of which Dr. Raymond Worsley is sponsor, was given the young woman at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital last evening. Royal Fitzsimmons of the state highway department being the donor. The transfusion was given by the attending physician to build up the patient's resistance. Monday evening Morris Rosbrook provided the transfusion for the first emergency call.

Dr. Worsley stated today that news of the "blood bank" project within the local Legion post, had brought inquiries from five Dixon residents, who had requested permission to join the movement. The applicants will be welcomed and will submit to blood tests within a few days and others desiring to join the program will be welcomed. Chairman Worsley stated.

Pitcher First Witness in Re- trial of Case

Dr. J. C. Flowers of San Mateo, Calif., president of the Dixon Home Telephone company was present at the opening of the second trial brought by the company against Louis Pitcher, former manager, which opened in circuit court this morning before Judge Harry Edwards, but attorneys from the firm of Chapman & Cutler of Chicago who were associated with Attorney Clyde Smith of this city in the first trial last November were not present today. The Dixon attorney appearing alone for the plaintiff. Attorneys Robert L. Bracken and J. C. Ryan appeared for the defendant.

Pitcher was the first witness called by the plaintiff and he remained on the witness stand until Judge Edwards recessed the session shortly before noon. Attorney Smith questioned the defendant for more than an hour, principally upon the subject of the method of management pertaining to the system of pay rolls. In this connection various exhibits consisting of records and cancelled checks were introduced as exhibits for the plaintiff, all of which were introduced at the November trial.

In response to Attorney Smith's questioning at the opening of the examination, Pitcher testified that he entered the employ of the plaintiff firm Oct. 1, 1904 and had served as an employee of the predecessor firm, the Lee County Telephone Company, severing his services as general manager on May 1, 1937 to be succeeded by A. R. Patterson of Streator.

The jury which was selected from the regular panel for the January term is as follows: John Hoffmann, Dixon; William Myers, Nachusa; John Hoyle, South Dixon; Henry O'Hare, Marion; Emil Flesser, Marion; Peter Reuter, East Grove; Ward Hartshorn, Harmon; Walter Heinman, Brooklyn; James Moran, May; Clyde Mittan, Alto; J. E. White, Dixon, and Thomas Downs, Jr., Hamilton.

FEED THE BIRDS—

Maine House Blocks Bay Power Project

Augusta, Maine, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Maine house of representatives today blocked at least temporarily a move to have the legislature memorialize congress in favor of completing the \$37,000,000 Passamaquoddy bay power project.

Unanimous consent was required for consideration of the petition and a few scattered "nays" caused it to be laid aside.

President Roosevelt yesterday revived hopes of eastern Maine that the project eventually would be completed when he urged congress to reconsider its suspension. Approximately \$7,000,000 was spent on the plan to harness the high rising tides of the Bay of Fundy before it was dropped three years ago when congress refused further funds.

Undaunted by the rebuff, Rep. Alexander Macnichel, a Democrat, said he would try to get the memorial before the house by sending it through the same channels followed by bills and resolves.

"Queen of Shop-Lifters" Headed C. O. D. Service in Large Cities

Los Angeles, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Three men and a self-styled "queen of the shop-lifters" were jailed today on suspicion of operating a "cash on delivery" service which offered stolen finery at bargain prices to film and radio folk. More than \$15,000 worth of furs, lingerie, perfumes and other articles were recovered at an apartment and at a 15-room house by raiders led by John Klein, district attorney's chief investigator.

Klein said he found indications that the shop-lifting ring had connections in San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Salt Lake City, Kansas City, Minneapolis, Chicago and New York.

Film and radio personages,

POLICE SEEKING MAN, MOTIVE IN HAMMER KILLING

Attractive Indianapolis Blonde Found Slain in Her Apartment

Indianapolis, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Detectives looked for a man and a motive today in the mysterious hammer slaying of blonde, attractive Mrs. Carrie Lelah Romig, 55-year-old wife of a young ten-cent-store lunchroom employee.

Mrs. Romig, formerly married to a wealthy Hoosier manufacturer, was found dead last night on a bed in her five-room, first-floor flat on the near north side. Deputy Coroner Norman Booher said she had been struck on the right temple and forehead with a small claw hammer which lay nearby, broken in two.

Investigators followed two leads: (1) A statement of the dead woman's husband, Daniel Romig, 28, that several diamond rings and other jewelry were missing from the apartment.

(2) Evidence that a man she knew had called on her some time in the day.

Police placed a vagrancy charge against Romig so they might hold him for questioning.

No Criminal Assault

Dr. Booher, who recommended a homicide verdict to Coroner E. R. Wilson, indicated Mrs. Romig had not been criminally assaulted. The husband found the body when he returned home from work. The front door was open. Cigarette stubs, candy and two nearly-empty coffee cups were in the living room. The death hammer had been taken from the pantry.

Detective Sergeant Jesse McCarty of the police homicide squad said Romig told him his wife was in bed when he kissed her goodbye and left yesterday morning for work. He said she seemed cheerful.

Mrs. Clara Corey, 60 who lives in the building, told McCarty she had directed a strange man to the Romig apartment at 8:30 or 9 a. m. She said she talked to him over the banister and did not get a good look at him.

Heard Footsteps
Custodian Elder Riggins, who lives in the basement, said he heard footsteps in the Romig apartment between 1 and 1:30 p. m.

The deputy coroner indicated Mrs. Romig had been dead from four to six hours when found at 6:30 p. m. He said the cause was brain concussion.

The body lay diagonally across the bed. The hands were folded across the body.

McCarty reported the missing jewelry as listed by Romig including several rings, bracelets and a brooch, most of them set with diamonds.

The apartment was furnished

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Mendota Women Figure in Traffic Accidents

(Telegraph Special Service)
Mendota, Jan. 18.—Mrs. George Kohl of Mendota suffered a fractured collar bone about 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when a car driven by Mrs. Henry Kohl and occupied by several Mendota women who were returning from a LaSalle county American Legion Auxiliary convention at Earlville, was sideswiped by a truck on U. S. highway 34, three miles east of Mendota, and forced into the ditch. The auto turned over, but fortunately the other occupants escaped with minor bruises.

FEED THE BIRDS—

Day's Fish Tale

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—When bass swings a catfish it should be worth \$10,000, thinks Nathan Rutenberg. He filed suit for that amount in circuit court charging that a playful tavern customer named Elmer Bass picked up a live catfish—his fish—and hit him with it, inflicting injuries which have kept him from work.

The large elevators involved in the sale include Bartlett-Frazier property at Sheldon and Kankakee, Ill., Manitowoc, Wis., and the Washbas elevator in Chicago.

The country stations involved in the sale are at Sunbury and Budd, Ill.; Harlan, Webster City, Audubon, Ross, Kingsley, Oto, Arthur, and Cushing, Iowa, and six in Nebraska.

Acquisition of the new properties will give Norris grain, headed by James Norris, widely-known grain dealer and sportsman, storage room in excess of 15,000,000 bushels, making it one of the largest grain firms in the country.

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FEED THE BIRDS—

MOVE TO GALESBURG

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Eckerberg, 1002 Third street, are moving to Galesburg, where Mr. Eckerberg has accepted a position with his former employer here, Wallace C. Kleaveland, in the new and modern paint store which Mr. Kleaveland is opening in the Knox county city. The latter recently disposed of his business here.

Ex-Senator Dead



EDWARD P. COSTIGAN

Colorado lawyer, who as United States Senator, became one of the first to demand direct relief for the jobless, died last night of a heart attack at his home in Denver. Story on Page 6.

Mickey Deserts Hollywood For Home in Dixon

Mickey has forsaken Minnie and take up residence at 518 West Ninth street with the Rev. and Mrs. Parker D. Barton. The estrangement doesn't seem to concern the new arrival, for the Rev. and Mrs. Barton report that he spends a good many of his waking hours singing at the top of his lungs. However, being late of Hollywood and maybe a model for Walt Disney, he does keep late hours and his joy bursts unconfined when nearly all Dixontes are tucked in their beds.

Yes, Mickey's last name is Mouse, but he hails from that refined clan of rodents, which instead of making ladies draw up and cry, "Eek, a mouse," fascinates them into drawing nearer with his dulcet warblings.

Before taking up permanent residence with the Bartons, Mickey was a frequent night caller and one who so charmed his host and hostess that they decided to lengthen his stay with a newly decorated and commodious apartment wired for captivity. Here he seems content enough with plenty of food and water and a great deal of attention to his every whim. He has thoroughly convinced his host and hostess that he's an important tenor with a voice as sweet as a canary and as such deserves the rights to temperment and all the attention it demands.

A study of Mickey's singing voice has been completed by the Bartons who report that "his voice is almost equal to a canary with low chirping notes which continue to mount in volume and clarity until he can be heard all over the house."

FEED THE BIRDS—

LARGE GRAIN FIRM SELLS ELEVATORS FOR LIQUIDATIONS

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Liquidation of Bartlett-Frazier Company, one of the largest grain concerns in the country, was one step nearer completion today with the sale of five large elevators and 17 small country station elevators to the Norris Grain Company.

C. D. Sturtevant, president of Bartlett-Frazier, said the sale involved approximately 5,000,000 bushel elevator space, including stocks of grain. Bartlett-Frazier, he said, will continue to operate elevators it leases from the Burlington railroad, at Burlington, Ia., and from the New York Central railroad, at East Chicago, Ind., totaling about 1,000,000-bushel capacity.

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BILLS FOR OPEN PRIMARY VOTING ARE SPEEDED UP

Illinois Senate Advanced Them for Final Action Tomorrow

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—While the House recessed, the Illinois Senate stayed in session today to hurry passage of the Pelka-Bidwell bill for open voting in municipal primaries, and in a 10-minute session this morning advanced the bill to third reading and agreed to meet tomorrow for final action. The measure would allow Republicans who voted in the 1938 Democratic primary to return to their own party in the February primaries.

Also advanced to the passage stage was the Ward bill to allow voters to cast a ballot by affidavit. Action is expected in the House on the bills next week.

Rep. John A. Pelka, Chicago Republican, said his bill as finally drawn and introduced would apply to downstate cities as well as Chicago, although it was in the metropolitan area that it would have widest application.

House Meets Tuesday

The same bill was introduced in the Senate by Arthur J. Bidwell (R-River Forest). It would eliminate the present two-year limit on switching parties and substitute 23 months for future voting.

Speaker Hugh W. Cross said the House would act next Tuesday on the Ward relief bill extending the three per cent sales tax to July 1 and appropriating \$4,500,000 additional for relief. Several Republicans predicted an attempt would be made to slice the relief appropriation.

Bills to increase workmen's compensation awards from 50 per cent to 66 2-3 per cent of the average weekly wage were filed both in the House and Senate. Rep. Frank Holten (D-East St. Louis) sponsored organized labor's five-day week proposal.

Other Senate Bills

A deficiency appropriation of \$800,000 for the blind relief fund was introduced by Senator W. E. C. Clifford (D-Champaign), appropriations committee chairman.

Others of the 62 bills introduced last yesterday included: Searey—Creates commission to study senatorial reapportionments.

Barr—Provides for election of four instead of three circuit judges in downstate districts.

Hayne—Eliminates penalties from delinquent taxes.

Johnson—Allows installment payments on delinquent taxes.

Perry—Requires elected officers to resign before seeking other elective offices.

Horner's Absence Means Extra \$33.33 for Stelle

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Governor Horner's absence from the state because of illness means an extra \$33.33 a day for the man who fills his shoes—Lieut. Gov. John Stelle.

The special fund to pay the acting governor is running low because of the unusual length of Stelle's service and the Illinois senate today was asked to appropriate an additional \$4,000, enough to last until July 1.

The law provides that Governor Horner although inactive shall be paid his regular salary of \$12,000 a year and that the acting governor be paid at the same rate.

Stelle already has drawn more \$16,000—in addition to his regular pay of \$5,000 a year as lieutenant governor—and it is estimated the special fund of \$2,500 will be exhausted by the end of February.

FEED THE BIRDS—

OLD POSTOFFICE SOLD

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The treasury accepted today an \$8,000 offer of Galesburg, Ill., for the old postoffice there.

Bossy Was Boss

Prince Frederick, Md., Jan. 18.—(AP)—John Bond and his shiny new automobile lost a one-round decision to a cow. They met the cow at a bridge over a small stream. She blocked their path. Angry at Bond's attempts to pass, the cow lowered her head and nudged Bond and his car into the stream. No one was hurt—least of all the cow.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 18, 1939

(By The Associated Press)
For Chicago and vicinity: Unsettled and somewhat colder tonight, possibly light snow; lowest temperature near 20° Thursday considerable cloudiness; moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.

Illinois: Generally fair in the south, much cloudiness in north tonight and Thursday, with snow in northeast tonight; somewhat colder tonight.

Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday, local snows tonight; colder tonight in extreme southeast.

Iowa: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Thursday; somewhat colder in east-central; not so cold in extreme west tonight; rising temperature Thursday.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 5 P. M. Tuesday: maximum temperature 34, minimum 20. Cloudy. Precipitation (snow) .18 inches; total for month to date 1.55 inches.

Thursday: sun rises at 7:21, sets at 5:01.

QUARTER BILLION DOLLAR PROVISIONAL BUDGET FOR NEXT TWO YEARS GIVEN TO ILLINOIS GENERAL ASSEMBLY BY STELLE

Illinois' Revenue Figures

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Here is the table submitted by Acting Governor Stelle on estimated revenue for the 1939-1941 biennium:

	Revenue July 1, 1936 To June 30, 1938	Estimated Revenue 1939-1941
Sales tax (3 per cent)	\$157,920,982	\$160,000,000
Utility tax (3 per cent)	14,853,349	17,400,000
Liquor license, gallon taxes	21,688,141	21,000,000
Insurance tax, fees	15,197,819	15,000,000
Inheritance tax	13,247,086	10,000,000
Corporation tax, fee	6,309,736	6,400,000
Illinois Central franchise tax	2,860,843	3,600,000
Auto title fees	1,018,243	1,000,000
Oil inspection fees	851,204	800,000
Registration, Exam. fees	719,391	700,000
Other revenues	2,865,718	3,000,000
Property tax, 1932 and prior	3,055,016	1,000,000
U. S. funds for pension Admin.	1,219,469	1,200,000
Total revenue	\$241,836,997	\$241,100,000
Estimated surplus, July 1, 1939		2,050,000

Estimated funds avail. 1939-41

FRANCO'S ARMY CONTINUES AD- VANCE IN SPAIN

However, Government Resistance is Reported Strengthened

Hendaye, France, (at the Spanish frontier) Jan. 18.—(AP)—The insurgent high command reported fresh progress in its swift offensive against Barcelona today with capture of a key point where a secondary highway joins one of the Spanish capital's main supply routes to the French frontier.

The town of Pons, eight miles northeast of Artesa de Segre, was said to have fallen before a smashing thrust of Generalissimo Franco's left wing forces moving up the Artesa-Puigcerda road.

The left wing column's ultimate objective seemed to be to cut Barcelona's communication and supply lines to France while southern and central columns move directly against the Spanish capital itself.

However, the highway to Puigcerda, on the French frontier, remained open through another secondary road which branches off north of Pons to Manresa and Barcelona. Manresa is now the objective of part of the insurgent central army.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

The Spanish insurgents passed another barrier today in their drive on Barcelona while anxious debates in Paris and London held out little hope of foreign aid to the sorely-distressed Spanish government.

The British cabinet was reported authoritatively to have reaffirmed its policy of non-intervention.

The French cabinet was reported authoritatively to have decided to stake its life in the chamber of deputies on a combined policy of non-intervention in the Spanish civil war and "vigilant defense" of French interests.

Informed political sources said that the ministers, meeting with President Albert Lebrun, chose this course in the controversy

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Baby Played Important Part In Looting of Trucks West of Elgin

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—A two-and-one-half-year-old baby was disclosed by state police last night as having played an important part in the looting of trucks along highways west of Elgin for the past three months.

The parents of the baby and his uncle were held without charge while state police and Kane county authorities investigated the stealing of approximately \$10,000 worth of merchandise.

Lieut. Charles A. Stanton said the baby's father drove the family car and the baby's uncle looted the trucks. The baby and his mother, riding beside the father, went along to avert suspicion.

Stanton said the baby's father, Claude Pease, 34, would drive up behind the truck while his brother, Wilbur, 26, would climb out on

Terse News

RABBIT BREEDERS MEET

A meeting of the Rock River Rabbit Breeders Assn. will be held at 7:30 P. M. Thursday at the home of E. L. Moss.

CHIMNEY BURNED OUT

The fire department responded to an alarm at 8:30 this morning to the home of Mrs. Grace Smith, 216 Hennepin avenue where a chimney was burning out. There was no damage to the property.

PROCEEDINGS OF
LEE CO. BOARD
OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss.
The Board of Supervisors of Lee County met at the Court House in the City of Dixon, on Thursday, the 5th day of January, A. D. 1939, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, for their meeting.

Present, Chairman Gehant and Supervisors Hemenway, Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Ramsdell, Spencer, Rose, Stanley, Garrison, Wilson, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Willis, Lally, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt, Hart, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Kuebel, Montavon, Risetters and Knetsch.

The Clerk read before the Board the notice of inspection of the boilers at the County Jail and County Home, and on motion of Supervisor Ramsdell, seconded by Supervisor Risetters the reports are received and placed on file.

December 28, 1938.
Lee County, Illinois Board of Supervisors,
Jail Building,
Dixon, Illinois.

Re: Boiler Policy No. B-2531295

Gentlemen:
Confirming external inspection of the following listed equipment at the above location on December 20, 1938 at which time general conditions were found satisfactory as far as is accessible.

No. 1 Firebox Heating Boiler.
No. 2 Hot Water Supply Tank.
If we can be of any further service to you, please do not fail to notify us.

Yours very truly,
H. C. Calkins,
A. E. Walker,
Supervising Engineer.

December 28, 1938.

Lee County, Illinois Board of Supervisors,

County Home,
Eldena, Illinois.

Re: Boiler Policy No. B-2531295

Gentlemen:

Confirming external inspection of the following listed equipment at the above location on December 20, 1938 at which time general conditions were found satisfactory as far as is accessible.

No. 1 & 2 Kewanee Hot Water Heating Boilers.
No. 3 Vertical Tubular Boiler.
No. 4 Babcock Hot Water Heater.

No. 1 Hot Water Supply Tank.
If we can be of any further service to you, please do not fail to notify us.

Yours very truly,
H. C. Calkins,
A. E. Walker,
Supervising Engineer.

On motion of Supervisor Rose, seconded by Supervisor Montavon, all claims on file are referred to the proper committees for action.

The following resolution was read before the Board by the Clerk, COUNTY BOARD OF LEE COUNTY REQUESTING APPROVAL OF THE USE OF MONEY ALLOTTED TO THE COUNTY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW, RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Lee County, that public interest demands the retirement of obligations incurred for the purpose of constructing State Aid roads, such construction having been in accordance with Section 15-d of the State Aid Law; and be it further RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of Eleven thousand seven hundred fifty seven and 50/100 Dollars (\$11,757.50) from the county's allotment of Motor Fuel Tax Funds for the payment of such obligations; and be it further RESOLVED, that the following obligations be paid:

Total Contract \$14,609.40
15D Refund Appropriated \$2,851.90
Balance to be retired

from M. F. T. \$11,757.50
obligations having been used to construct the following improvements.

State Aid Route 10 Section 13B-15D, Type Cont. I-Beam Bridge, Completed Cost \$14,609.40, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Clerk is hereby directed to transmit two certified copies of this resolution to the Department of Public Works and Buildings, Division of Highways, Springfield, Illinois.

Motion was made by Supervisor Buckingham, seconded by Supervisor Cortright, that the resolution be adopted by the Board as read, and said motion now coming on for a vote of the members of the Board the Clerk proceeded with roll call, which resulted as follows:

Those voting Aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Ramsdell, Spencer, Rose, Stanley, Garrison, Wilson, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Willis, Lally, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt, Hart, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Kuebel, Montavon, Risetters and Knetsch:—26. Those voting Nay:—None.

Thereupon the Chairman declared said motion carried.

The following County Request for Funds was read before the Board by the Clerk:

County Lee,
S. A. Route 18-A,
Section 15-M, F. T.

To the Department of Public Works and Buildings Divisions of Highways, Bureau of County Roads and City Streets.

I hereby request funds from the County's allotment of Motor Fuel Tax as itemized below:

Construction Costs \$5000.00
Engineering Costs
Advertising Costs
Right-of-Way Costs, (As

per itemization on reverse side)
Maintenance Costs (As per itemization on reverse side)
SUB-TOTAL \$5000.00
County Treasurer's Disbursing fee (1% of Sub-Total) 50.00
County Treasurer's receiving fee 1% of Total below 50.50
Total funds required \$5100.50
Dated January 5th, 1939.
Fred W. Leake,
Co. Supt. of Highways.

Motion was made by Supervisor Anderson, seconded by Supervisor Kuebel, that the request be adopted as read by the Board, and said motion now coming on for a vote of the members of the Board, the Clerk proceeded with roll call, which resulted as follows:

Those voting Aye:—Supervisors Hemenway, Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Ramsdell, Spencer, Rose, Stanley, Garrison, Wilson, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Willis, Lally, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt, Hart, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Kuebel, Montavon, Risetters and Knetsch:—26.

Those voting Nay:—None.

Thereupon the Chairman carried said motion carried.

The following report and request from Fred W. Leake, County Superintendent of Highways was read before the Board by the Clerk, January 5, 1939.

Chairman and Members of the Lee County Board of Supervisors: Gentlemen:

I have in my charge the sum of Two hundred fifty-four dollars and 40/100 and would like to procure an order from the County Clerk to turn this money into the county treasury into the following funds:

\$ 2.48—County General Fund
\$251.92—County Highway Fund

Respectfully submitted,
Fred W. Leake,
Co. Supt. of Highways.

On motion of Supervisor Mau, seconded by Supervisor Wolf, Superintendent of Highways Fred W. Leake is to procure an order from the County Clerk directing the County Treasurer to receive said money and place it in the proper funds.

The following request from E. S. Rosecrans, Circuit Clerk and Recorder was read before the Board by the Clerk.

TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING LIST OF RECORDS NEEDED, FOR YOUR APPROVAL.

1 Bound printed "Q C Dd." record long form "Dd 146", 600 pages.
1 Bound printed Two Form record, "Release 33", 600 pages.
1 Bound printed Chattel Mfg. Index record, "SI", 600 pages.
1 Loose Leaf Chancery Record, "Chy 31", 600 pages.

All records are to be canvassed covered.

E. S. Rosecrans,
Circuit Clerk & Recorder.

On motion of Supervisor Ramsdell, seconded by Supervisor Knetsch, the request is referred to the Purchasing Committee with Power to Act.

A resolution from the Fees and Salaries Committee was read before the Board relative to fixing the salary of Kenyon B. Segner, Coroner of Lee County. Said resolution is in the words and figures following:

The Fees and Salary Committee, to whom was referred the question of fixing the salary of Kenyon B. Segner, Coroner of Lee County, offers the following resolution and recommendation:

TO THE HONORABLE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

WHEREAS, on previous occasions, the Coroner of this County has requested the Board of Supervisors to fix his salary in a definite sum and to fix an amount for expenses of his office, and

WHEREAS, the constitution of the State of Illinois provides that the County Board shall fix the compensation of the Coroner, which compensation shall be paid only out of earnings of the Coroner's office, and

WHEREAS, in order to end the controversy now existing and to settle matters finally and for all time and to end that unnecessary expenses and unnecessary requests shall be saved the people of Lee County in the future,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors that the salary of the Coroner of Lee County hereafter shall be in the sum of \$600.00 per year, which salary must be collected by the Coroner out of the fees of his office and all fees in excess of the amount fixed as salary of said Coroner shall be reported and remitted to the County Board at least twice a year by said Coroner.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the expenses for the Coroner shall be the sum of \$200.00 per year, which sum shall be meant to cover Coroner's telephone and other incidental expenses, exclusive of mileage and shall, in no case, exceed the above amount.

Your committee therefore recommends the adoption of this resolution.

Dated this 5th day of January, A. D. 1939.
Justin Becker,
J. E. Mau,
C. J. Lally,
P. J. Kuebel,
J. T. Emmitt.

Motion was made by Supervisor Rose, seconded by Supervisor Anderson that the resolution be adopted by the Board as read. Said resolution was explained to the Board by State's Attorney Edward A. Jones. Considerable discussion

was entered into by various members of the Board regarding parts of the resolution. The Chairman declared said motion carried.

The Clerk then read before the Board the Certification of Fred W. Leake for County Superintendent of Highways, which is in the words following:

Mr. Sterling D. Schrock,
County Clerk, Lee County,
Dixon, Illinois

Dear Sir:

Whereas, a vacancy exists in the position of county superintendent of highways in Lee County, said vacancy being caused by the expiration of the six year terms of office, and

Whereas, it is the desire of the Board of Supervisors of Lee County that the present incumbent, Fred W. Leake, be certified by the Department of Public Works and Buildings, State of Illinois, as eligible for re-appointment as indicated in the resolution of the County Board dated the eighth day of December, A. D. 1938, which resolution was properly certified to by the County Clerk and is now on file in the State Department of Public Works and Buildings, and

Whereas, Section 8 of Article III of the Road and Bridge Act of Illinois, in part, reads as follows:

"Provided, however, that any person holding the position of county superintendent of highways shall be eligible for reappointment at any time subsequent to the first examination without the submission of his name by the county board, and without examination, if the Department of Public Works and Buildings certifies him to the county board as eligible"

NOW THEREFORE, I, F. L. Smith, Director of the Department of Public Works and Buildings, acting in accordance with the provisions of the Road and Bridge Laws above mentioned, do hereby certify to the County Board of Lee County, State of Illinois, the name of Mr. Fred W. Leake, the present county superintendent, as eligible for reappointment to fill the position of county superintendent of highways for Lee County.

Dated this 20th Day of Dec. A. D. 1938.

DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS.

By F. L. Smith, Director,
ATTEST:
Ernest Lieberman,
Chief Highway Engineer,
Acting Supt. of Highways.

Motion was made by Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Emmitt that the incumbent Fred W. Leake be appointed for another six year term, and that a roll call be taken on the matter.

Those voting Aye:—Supervisors Hemenway, Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Spencer, Rose, Garrison, Mau, Kranov, Lally, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt, Hart, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Montavon and Knetsch:—19.

Those voting Nay:—Supervisors Ramsdell, Stanley, Wilson, Anderson, Willis, Kuebel, Risetters:—7.

Thereupon the Chairman declared said motion carried.

Sheriff G. P. Finch appeared before the Board and made a request for an electric spray pump to use in the cells at the County Jail. On motion of Supervisor Spencer, seconded by Supervisor Buckingham the matter is referred to the Purchasing Committee with power to act.

On motion of Supervisor Archer, seconded by Supervisor Rose the Board adjourned until two o'clock this afternoon.

At the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the Board reconvened. Present same as at the this morning's session.

The Pauper Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims and on motion of Supervisor Garrison, seconded by Supervisor Wolf, the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Dr. J. B. Werren, medical attention transient pauper Hotel Blackhawk, lodging for transient paupers 6.50
John J. Wagner, money expended for transient paupers 1.90
Art Martenson, delivering surplus commodities 93.15
Joseph Mann, Co. Clerk, Whiteside Co., Lee Co. share of expense for federal food commodities depot 95.24

The Building Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims and on motion of Supervisor Wolf, seconded by Supervisor Rose, the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

E. L. Soper, labor and material, Ct. House \$ 45.30
Will Shank, plumber, labor & repairs, Co. Jail 35.26
Cahill's Electric Shop, bulbs fuses, labor, etc. Ct. House 21.60
Frank H. Kreim, floor covering, Old Age Pension Room 13.60
Joe W. Kump, labor and material, Co. Jail 79.18

The County Home Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims and on motion of Supervisor Cortright, seconded by Supervisor Mehlhausen the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

A. L. Geisenheimer & Co., dry goods & supp. Co. Home 7.86
Frank Brady, killing hogs and making sausage for Co. Home 20.00
Chester Barriage, tire repair, truck, Co. Farm 1.50
Eichler Bros., dry goods, etc., Co. Home 8.35

City Meat Market, meats Co. Home (Dec. 1938) 5.85
National Biscuit Co., mdse., Co. Home 6.08
Dixon Grocery & Market, groceries, Co. Home 26.39
L. C. Glessner, hardware, etc., Co. Home 7.68
Dr. J. B. Werren, medical serv., inmates Co. Home Thos. Sullivan, supp. Co. Home 7.38
Boynton - Richards Co., clothing, shoes, etc., inmates 17.97
Snow White Bakery, Dec. bread acct. Co. Home 22.85
Plowman's Busy Store, groceries, Co. Home 14.15
Willis M. Fry, sal., supt., Matron & hired help, Co. Home 274.35
Cahill's Electric Shop, installing Fridgiraider, Co. Home 501.27

Supervisor Risetters, Chairman of the County Home Committee explained to the Board that the electric saw fit to purchase an electric refrigerator for the County Home, as a Memorial to the late Solomon May, who, in his will left the balance of his estate after payment of expenses, to the County Board of Supervisors. He also explained that the plans were to have a plate inscribed on the refrigerator.

Motion was made by Supervisor Risetters, seconded by Supervisor Cortright, that the County Board dedicate said refrigerator at the annual meeting of the Board in June 1939. Motion carried.

The following request and resolution from Ward T. Miller, County Collector, was read before the Board.

To the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, State of Illinois:

The undersigned, Ward T. Miller, Collector of the County of Lee, State of Illinois, respectfully represents unto your honorable body that under an Act recently adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and now in full force and effect, the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, shall upon request of the County Collector, designate the bank or banks or other depository in which the funds and moneys in his custody as County Collector may be deposited.

I hereby request that you, the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, State of Illinois, designate the bank or banks or other depository in which the funds and moneys in my custody as County Collector may be kept as provided by law.

Ward T. Miller,
County Collector.

Resolution of the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, State of Illinois.

Whereas, Ward T. Miller, County Collector, has made and filed the above and foregoing request that this Board of Supervisors designate the depository in which the County Collector's funds shall be kept.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, State of Illinois, at this meeting, of the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, State of Illinois, held this 5th day of January 1939, at which the members were present, that the request of said Ward T. Miller, County Collector, be granted; that this Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, State of Illinois, hereby designate:

Dixon National Bank, Dixon, Ill.
Henry F. Gehant Banking Co., West Brookly, Ill.
The Ashton Bank, Ashton, Ill.
Franklin Grove Bank, Franklin Grove, Ill.
Farmers State Bank of Sublette, Sublette, Ill.
City National Bank in Dixon, Dixon, Ill.
State Bank of Paw Paw, Paw Paw, Ill.
The First National Bank in Amboy, Amboy, Ill.

as the depositories for the funds of Ward T. Miller, County Collector, Lee County, State of Illinois.

Be it further resolved that the Banks at this meeting have furnished the Board of Supervisors, County of Lee, with copies of the last two (2) sworn statements of resources and liabilities which said Banks are required to furnish the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois and or the Comptroller of Currency, United States of America.

Be it further resolved, that this resolution was adopted in accordance with a recent Act adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Illinois to limit the liability of the County Collector.

On motion of Supervisor Kranov, seconded by Supervisor Hemenway, the banks as named are to be the depositories for the County Collector for the ensuing year.

The Road and Bridge Committee present the following resolutions, which on motion of Supervisor Emmitt, seconded by Supervisor Knetsch is adopted by the Board as read.

RESOLUTION

Whereas State-Aid Routes 16 and 16-A in Nelson Township of Lee County, Illinois, are now in bad condition, and impassable to all traffic to and from the Town of Nelson in said Township during those times of the year of unusually heavy rainfall,

And whereas, the Township of Nelson must have immediate relief from these said roads in order to allow the people of said Township access to and from their homes and to and from the Town of Nelson;

And whereas, the cost of properly repairing and rebuilding said roads and routes to make them of suitable all-weather construction has been estimated to be about \$55,000.00,

And whereas, the Township of Nelson, the County of Lee and State of Illinois are without adequate funds for the repairing and

rebuilding of these said roads and routes at this time;

And whereas, the expense of repairing and rebuilding these said roads and roadways and routes is properly an expense of the County of Lee and State of Illinois under the State-Aid Road Improvement Act of the Illinois Statutes;

And whereas, there is annually made available to the County of Lee an amount of money for road building purposes from the Motor Fuel Tax Fund;

And whereas, the residents and voters of the Township of Nelson have duly approved the borrowing of the sum of \$30,000.00 to be used toward rebuilding and repairing these said roadways upon their own obligations, said sum, if used, to be in lieu of money to be furnished by the County or the State, and said sum being offered for the purpose of gaining immediate action in the correction of the present road conditions;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS IN REGULAR MEETING ASSEMBLED that in consideration of the Township of Nelson contributing the sum of \$30,000.00 and rebuilding and repairing of State Aid Route 16 and 16-A as shall be necessary to improve the same to all-weather condition so far as said sum of \$30,000.00 shall allow, and in the further consideration of said Township contributing said sum of money and making the same available to the Nelson Township Commissioner of Highways for the uses and purposes hereinbefore set forth, be it hereby agreed and made of record in the minutes of the proceedings of this Board of Supervisors that upon the completion of the work on the Binghamton Bridge, Lee Center Spur and Lowell Park roads for which money has been named from the aforementioned Motor Fuel Tax Fund, that of such funds remaining in said Fund or hereafter received into said Fund, there shall be made an appropriation sufficient to complete the Nelson Township road construction project hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated this 5th day of January, A. D. 1939.

RECOMMENDATION

We, the members of the Lee County Road & Bridge Committee would hereby respectfully recommend that this resolution be adopted by the members of this board.

Lee County Road & Bridge Comm.

Seth Anderson,
Angier W. Wilson,
C. G. Buckingham,
Milton G. Vaupel,
John S. Archer.

The Soldiers and Sailors Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims and on motion of Supervisor Knetsch, seconded by Supervisor Risetters the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Dr. W. T. Holladay, medical care of ex-soldier \$ 3.00
Ed Branigan, coal, ex-soldier 26.00
Dr. J. B. Werren, medical serv., ex-soldiers 13.00
Earl Babcock, groceries, ex-soldier 6.00
Harvey O. Risetters, supp. money expended for ex-soldier 36.00
Dr. D. E. Hein, glasses for wife of ex-soldier 10.50
Dr. W. T. Holladay, medical serv., ex-soldier 9.00
W. B. Powers, groceries for ex-soldier 8.00
G. A. Hamel, mdse., family of ex-soldier 16.69
L. L. Brink, rent for ex-soldier 7.00
Spencer Supply Co., coal for family of ex-soldier 5.50
Lee Center Cash Grocery, groceries, family of ex-soldier 15.00
D. B. Raymond & Son, coal for ex-soldier 3.63
Plowman's Busy Store, groceries for two families, ex-soldiers 12.00
Paw Paw Co-op. Grain Co., coal for family ex-soldier 13.39
F. G. Avery, groceries for family of ex-soldier 35.00
Conlon's Grocery, groceries, ex-soldier 8.19
National Tea Co., groceries family of ex-soldier 30.00
A & P Tea Co., groceries, ex-soldiers 54.00
Chicago Relief Adm., groceries for family of ex-soldier now in Chicago 35.00
Plowman's Busy Store, groceries for ex-soldier 12.00
Distilled Water Ice Co., coal for ex-soldier 12.50
Curran's Neighborhood Grocery, groceries for ex-soldier 30.00
Rink Coal Co., coal for family of ex-soldier 3.25
Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization of ex-soldier's child 34.00
J. B. Ortigsen Grocery, groceries, family of ex-soldier 10.00
Hill Bros. Grocery, groceries, family of ex-soldier 27.00
Pentland Coal Co., coal for family of ex-soldier 6.25
D. B. Raymond & Son, coal for several families of ex-soldier 34.50
John Trader, house rent, ex-soldier's family 15.00
Chas. O. Hahn, house rent, family of ex-soldier 18.00
Emery D. Countryman Gro., groceries ex-soldier 16.00
Cash Coal Co., coal, family of ex-soldier 12.50
Boynton - Richards Co., shoes, etc., family of ex-soldier 3.20
J. C. Penney Co., shoes, etc., family of ex-soldier 8.41
Wm. Tman, house rent for ex-soldier now in Chicago 10.00

Considerable discussion was entered into by various members of the County Board regarding the claim of the Chicago Relief Administration for the Malone family, formerly of Dixon and now in Chicago.

The Fees and Salaries Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Kranov, seconded by Supervisor Mehlhausen, the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

J. O. Shaulis, J. P. serv. fee \$ 22.00
Fremont M. Kaufman, J. P. services 30.50
Wm. T. Terrill, J. P. serv. fees 8.40
Fred W. Leake, sal. and allowed expense, County Supt. of Hwys. 233.60
Lee County Sheriff's office, receiving prisoners 6.50
Lee County Sheriff's office, discharging prisoners 9.00
Lee County Sheriff's office, guarding jail 31.00
Lee County Sheriff's office, transporting insane 17.50
Lee County Sheriff's office, Attending Cir. Court 234.00
Lee County Sheriff's office, Feeding prisoners, Dec. 202.35

The Educational Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Knetsch, seconded by Supervisor Ramsdell, the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

N. L. and E. W. Kruysman, Supp. Co. Supt. of Schools Goerlitz-Becknell Co., Supp. for Co. Supt. of Schools Zion Office Supply, Supp. for Co. Supt. of Schools Illinois Office Supply Co., Supp. for Co. Supt. of Schools 3.19
P. F. Pettibone & Co., Supp. for Co. Supt. of Schools 43.84
P. F. Pettibone & Co., Supp. for Co. Supt. of Schools 43.94
Keystone Envelope Co., Supp. for Co. Supt. of Schools 68.85
Edwards Book Store, ink and papers 2.46
L. W. Miller, incidentals & field service 68.95

The Printing Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims and on motion of Supervisor Buckingham, seconded by Supervisor Becker the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

B. F. Shaw Printing Co., blanks, Co. Treas. Off. 12.50
B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Printing Bar Dockets, Cir. Clerk 100.00
Harry H. Hulst, printing for Co. Coroner 10.50
Illinois Office Supply Co., execution docket, sheriff's office 41.26
Edwards Book Store, cash book, Co. Treas. off. 4.60
Byers Printing Co., office blanks, Co. Clerk's off. 34.43
The Ashton Gazette, Stationery Co. Treas. off. 23.00
Harry H. Hulst, Printing Co. Treas. office 25.75
Callaghan & Co., Ills. Digest, annotated and quarterly Digest, State's Atty. office 43.78
Callaghan & Co., Ills. Statute, annotated and quarterly Digest, State's Atty. office 15.00
Illinois Office Supply Co., Off. Supp. State's Atty. office 28.27
Same, sheets for records, Cir. Clerk 55.26
Same, same 8.12
Banner-Whitney Co., Law Books, state's atty's. off. 15.00

The Claims Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims and on motion of Supervisor Garrison, seconded by Supervisor Cortright the report is received, approved and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Dr. H. J. McCoy, med. call, inmate of Co. Jail 1.50
L. J. Welch Agency, prem. on bond of Co. Collector 800.00
John S. Archer, com. serv. Leon A. Garrison, com. serv. Wm. J. Kranov, same 6.40
Harold H. Wolf, same 5.60
Pat V. Lally, same 6.00
Chas. J. Kuebel, same 7.50
C. G. Buckingham, same 21.80
Wm. J. Rose, same 5.10
Milton Vaupel, same 28.00
E. H. Stanley, same 5.10
John J. Wagner, same 6.50
Seth Anderson, same 34.20
Justin Becker, same 7.30
J. E. Mau, same 6.60
Harvey O. Risetters, same 8.00
H. A. Knetsch, comm. service 8.20
Angier W. Wilson, Comm. service 10.20
Pantagraph Prtg. Sta. Co. Supp. Co. Clerk's off. 18.75
Edwards Book Store, twine, Co. Clerk's off. 1.24
Illinois Office Supply Co., off. supp. Co. Supt. Hwys. on bond for robbery and safe burglary, Co. Treas. safe burglary, Co. Treas. A. C. Handell, stamps, pension investigator 1.50
Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization of dep. children 126.00
Meyer & Wenthe, mdse. sheriff's off. 28.50
American Surety Co. of New York, prem. on bond of E. S. Rosecrans, Cir. Clerk and recorder 87.50
Lucille Poole, off. expense Co. Judge 7.25
Poole's Laundry, laundrying towels, Ct. House 1.08
B. F. Shaw Prtg. Co. pub. proceedings Dec. meeting Bd. of Supervisors 201.40

Pantagraph Prtg. Co. & Sta. Co., adding machine paper, Co. Clerk's off. 4.56
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriter Inc., typewriter ribbon Co. Clerk's off.77
Dixon Home Telephone Co., office phone, Co. Supt. of Highways 14.75
Goerlitz-Becknell Co., off. Supp. Co. Supt. Hwys. 7.31
Edwards Book Store, Supp. Co. Supt. Hwys. 6.26
Zion Office Supply, Supp. State's Atty's. off. 1.13
Ernst Stewart, hauling ashes, Ct. House & Jail 12.50
Van Danberg Supply Co., Janitor's supp. Ct. House Edwards Book Store, Supp. State's Atty's. off. 1.34
Zion Office Supply, off. supp. Sheriff's off. 2.18
C. B. Dolge Co., 50 lb. drum cleaning po'dr. Ct. House Dr. J. B. Werren, Med. calls, inmates, Co. Jail 8.00
Dr. J. B. Werren, inquiry 5.00
Dr. H. J. McCoy, inquiries 10.00
F. O. Peterson's Sons, records, canvass covers, etc. books in Co. Recorder's office 740.00
F. O. Peterson's Sons, records, canvass covers, etc. records in Co. Clerk's office 77.50
F. O. Peterson's Sons, 3 records rebound Old Age Pension Dept. 37.50
Supervisor Hart, Chairman of the Pauper Committee reported that his committee had contacted proper Relief Authorities relative to re-locating a Federal Food Commodity Depot in Dixon or somewhere in Lee County. He also gave figures from the Federal Relief Authorities showing the cost under present set up and explained that the Authorities did not think it could be handled as cheaply if a station were reopened in Lee County.

Considerable discussion was entered into by various members of the Board relative to the expense of operating same.

On motion of Supervisor Archer, seconded by Supervisor Buckingham the Pauper Committee is to investigate further and give their best efforts toward relocation of a depot in Lee County.

Society News

Miss Marie Kelly To Attend Scout Training School

Miss Marie Kelly, director of Dixon Girl Scouts, will leave Thursday for Chicago to attend a Girl Scout study club and training school for the remainder of the month. On Friday and Saturday, she will be attending a Local director's study club at the Palmer House, to be followed by a week's study course on "Trends in Training," to be conducted at George Williams college under the direction of two national trainers.

Under a new plan being inaugurated for the study club sessions, invitations have been issued to local commissioners, and program, training, and organization chairmen. Mrs. John Devine, commissioner of the Dixon council, and Mrs. L. E. Dunkelberger, training chairman, expect to attend the meeting on Friday. Mrs. A. C. Bowers, who is organization chairman, and Mrs. Kreider Woods, program chairman, will be unable to be present.

Woman's Club Will Have Book Review

"William and Dorothy" by Helen Ashton will provide an interesting review scheduled for 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in the Dixon high school music room under the sponsorship of Mrs. Emma Eichler's literature and library extension department of the Dixon Woman's club. It will be presented by Mrs. John N. Weiss.

Concerning the author and her book, one newspaper critic has said: "Helen Ashton has written a fascinating story, and she has brought to her prose much of the smooth grace that makes the poetry of her subjects immortal." The story is that of Dorothy Wordsworth and her brother, William, of their youth together, their travels in Europe, in their "wanders", and their walking trips with the eloquent young Coleridge. Though she keeps faith with her facts, Miss Ashton glances behind the scenes, and with a story teller's privilege, draws her own interesting deductions.

Anyone interested is invited to attend.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR HAVE INTER-CITY DINNER MEETING

Nearly 65 Knights Templar and their ladies from Dixon and Amboy circled tables for a 6:30 o'clock scramble supper last evening at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple. Following the supper, the ladies made up bridge foursomes, while the men conducted a stated meeting.

Mrs. Ralph W. Clark, Mrs. O. B. Gerlach, and Frank C. Sproul won honors at the card tables.

The affair was the first of a series of inter-city meetings being planned by the Dixon lodge.

MOTHERS' CLUB

The Mothers' club of Salzman school district No. 116 met Friday afternoon for election of officers. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

The school recently was awarded a certificate of recognition by the state superintendent's office at Springfield, paying tribute to the teacher, Mrs. Florence Bruce, her pupils, and members of the school board, George Warner, Harry Hackman and Wilbur Clayton. The club members include Mrs. George Warner, Mrs. Harry Hackman, Mrs. Leonard Heckman, Mrs. C. Warner, and Mrs. Roger Sanders.

The next meeting will be held on St. Valentine's day.

AFTERNOON PARTY

Mrs. Maurice Wernick was the guest of honor at an afternoon party planned yesterday by Mrs. Jesse Edwards of 705 Highland avenue. Mrs. Harley Swarts won honors in Chinese checkers, and there were gift packages for the honoree.

ELKS AUXILIARY

Members of the Elks Ladies Auxiliary will be making up tables for bridge games at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the club house.

Miss Whitebread Is Complimented

The approaching marriage of Miss Margaret Whitebread, elder daughter of the Ernest E. Whitebreads of 614 South Dixon, and Donald James, son of Mr. and Mrs. John James of East Eighth street, is occasioning a series of pre-nuptial parties arranged by friends of the bride-to-be.

Last evening, Mrs. Harold Coffey and Miss Florence Blackburn invited a dozen friends to the Coffey home on Galena avenue for a variety shower, complimenting Miss Whitebread. Tables were made up for luncheon by the guests, who were Mrs. Sidney Gebhardt of Sterling, and the Misses Mary Jayne Scriven of Chicago, Josephine and Mabel Luke, Phyllis Wells, Lavina Blackburn, Lucille Whitebread, Mrs. Joseph O'Brien and the honor guest.

On Monday evening, Miss DeLores Moran was entertaining with a shower party for the bride-elect. A number of games were played, in which Miss Scriven, Mrs. Gebhardt, and the honoree were fortunate.

Refreshments were served at a pink and white table, before the bride-elect was presented with her gift packages. On the guest list were the Misses Mary Popp, Mabel Stultz, Kathleen Connelly, Louise Wallace, Lucille Whitebread, Miss Scriven, Mrs. Gebhardt, and the bride-to-be.

Miss Elizabeth Skeffington and Mrs. Charles Burke are to be tonight's hostesses, having invited friends of Mr. James' fiancée to the former's home on Dixon avenue. Tomorrow evening, Mrs. George Heatherly and Mrs. Virgil Reid will be entertaining co-workers of the bride-elect at Newberry's store at the Heatherly home, and Mrs. David James has asked for Friday evening.

Miss Whitebread has been employed at Newberry's for about two and a half years. Mr. James is with the Rogers Printing company.

EN ROUTE SOUTH

The J. S. Tippetons and their daughter, Anne, of 625 North Ottawa avenue left flying snowflakes behind them this morning, when they started out on a motor trip which will take them south for several months. Their itinerary lies by way of Memphis and the Gulf coast, and their destination is Ft. Myers, Fla., where they plan to remain until about the middle of April.

Calendar

Wednesday
Palmyra Teacher's Reading circle — Miss Lorraine Missman, hostess, 7:30 P. M.
White Shrine drill team — Practice at 7:15 P. M.; party at 8:15.

Thursday
Woman's Relief corps — Public installation, G. A. R. hall.
Foreign Travel club — Travel lecture, "Sun Valley and the Salmon River Country," at H. M. Rasch home, Dixon chapter, Wa-Tan-Ye — Dinner meeting at local tea room, 6:30 P. M.
Past Noble Grands club, Rebekah lodge — Scramble supper, 6 P. M.
American Legion Auxiliary — Sewing and scramble luncheon at Mrs. Clara Traynor's home.
Sunshine class, St. Paul's Sunday school — Business meeting and social at church, 7:30 P. M.
Home and Foreign Missionary society — Mrs. Fred Hoffmann, hostess.

Friday
Dorothy chapter, No. 371, O. E. S. — Scramble dinner at 6:30 P. M., followed by stated session and cards.
St. Agnes Guild, St. Luke's Episcopal church — At Guild room, 2:30 P. M.
Mrs. Clara Shawger's class, Methodist Episcopal Sunday school — Italian supper, 6:30 P. M., in church dining room.
Elks Ladies Auxiliary — Bridge, 2 P. M., at club house.
Union Missionary societies, Methodist Episcopal church — Scramble luncheon at church, 1 P. M.; program, 2 P. M.

White-Burd Rites To Be Solemnized In Oregon, Soon

Mr. and Mrs. Earl White of Chicago announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Jane White of Oregon, to Stewart W. Burd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burd of Oregon. The nuptials will be solemnized in Oregon on Saturday, Jan. 28, with Miss Jeanne White of Oregon serving as bridesmaid, and the bridegroom-to-be's brother, Lee Burd, Jr., as best man.

The couple will reside in Oregon, where Miss White is employed in the office of Russell Borchers of the rural resettlement administration. Mr. Burd is a representative of the Wear-Ever Aluminum company.

PRACTICAL CLUB HEARS PAPER ON CARTOON ARTIST

Yellow daisies, blue corn flowers and yellow tapers lent a spring-like touch to the party tables when Mrs. W. E. Whitson and Mrs. L. E. Smith entertained at luncheon yesterday for members of the Practical club. The luncheon, served at a local tea room, was followed by a business meeting and program at Mrs. Whitson's home.

Mrs. Frances Miller gave a paper, choosing for her subject, "What has Disney That We Haven't?" She reviewed the boyhood story of Walt Disney, animated cartoon artist, told of his love of animals and of his early struggle to make good.

Mrs. Miller told the members that the artist's brother, Roy, started in the picture business with him, and within ten years, their work has expanded to a plant covering a city block and employing several hundred persons. "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," she said, netted the artist six million dollars, and with this sum, he expects to build a spacious new studio and a zoo of his own. He also plans to produce two more pictures, "Pinocchio" and "Bambi."

Mrs. Clara Fisher of Anamosa, Iowa, sister of Mrs. Miller, was a guest. The next meeting was announced for Jan. 31 at Mrs. William Ware's home.

HOWLETT-GIRTEN

Miss Leona Howlett, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howlett of Tampico, and Leo Girtten of Amboy were married Saturday morning at the Catholic church in Clinton, Iowa. They were accompanied by a few friends and the bridegroom's sister.

The bride wore a street-length frock of purple brocade. Following the ceremony, the bridal party returned to Tampico where they were supper guests of the bride's parents.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Girtten moved to Rock Falls. The bridegroom is employed by the Northwestern Steel and Wire company.

"OUR GANG"

When members of the "Our Gang" club met at the home of Miss Grace Levan, Jan. 24, they will be celebrating the birthday anniversary of their hostess.

Games of 50 were pastime for the club when Robert Tourtellott entertained recently at the Reinhardt Stahl home. Favors were won by Grace Levan, Robert Fischer, Bertha Stahl, and Elwood Travis.

Refreshments were served by the host.

CHOIR PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Frazer of 151 East Fellows street will entertain the choir of the Methodist Episcopal church at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening. Mrs. Howard Byers, Mrs. B. R. Jacobson, and Miss Milla Wohnke will assist in entertaining.

HUSTLE WITHOUT BUSTLE

We're hustlers when the occasion demands but we don't make any noise about it. Our service is as cheerful and quiet as it is speedy.



NATCHEZ PILGRIMAGE

Natchez, Miss., fascinating center of the Deep South, is preparing to welcome visitors who will gather from the four corners of the world to enjoy its beauties when the Pilgrimage Garden club entertains at its Eighth Annual Pilgrimage to Original Pilgrimage Houses, March 4 through March 19. Arrangements are under the direction of Mrs. Hubert Barnum, president, and Mrs. Balfour Miller, originator of the Natchez Pilgrimage and nationally-known lecturer on Natchez.

This year, the subject of the Confederate Ball Tab-leaux will be scenes from the life of General William T. Martin of the Confederacy. An added feature of interest is that General Martin's own grandson, William T. Martin, II, will take the part of his renowned grandfather.

Among the many notables planning to visit Natchez for the Pilgrimage will be Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who will give her lecture, "A Typical Day at the White House," on the evening of March 6 or 7.

COLLEGE ALUMNAE PLAN MEETING

Rockford college Alumnae council will hold its fourth annual meeting at the college Friday and Saturday, March 24 and 25. Mrs. Roland M. Dyer of Wisconsin Dells, Wis., chairman of the council, who is at present wintering in Clearwater, Fla., will preside at the two-day conference.

Mrs. Wallace Elfrson, (Lucy White), of Dixon is third vice president of the association.

FOR NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kreider of Sterling entertained at dinner Monday evening, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brauer of Dixon, who were married on New Year's Day. The bride, who teaches the Gap Grove school, is the former Miss Clara Hamill.

A gift package presented to the couple contained Fiesta ware.

PARLOR CLUB

Forty members of the O. E. S. Parlor club turned out for the club's dessert bridge on Monday afternoon at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple. Mrs. Dave Boos scored high in contract, and Mrs. R. H. Harridge received the auction prize.

Mrs. Elwood Hintz was chairman of the hostess committee.

Activities Dixon Church Societies

St. Agnes Guild — Members of St. Agnes Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will meet in the Guild room at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. George Hawley, Mrs. C. W. Staebler and Mrs. Winston Edwards are to be joint hostesses.

Union Meeting — Missionary societies of the Methodist Episcopal church are planning a 1 o'clock scramble luncheon for Thursday at the church. A program will be presented at 2.

Quarterly Meeting — Dr. Ralph M. Pierce of Evanston, superintendent of the Joliet-Dixon district of the Methodist Episcopal church, will preside at a quarterly conference to be held at the Dixon Methodist church at 7:45 o'clock this evening.

Sunshine Class — The monthly business meeting and social for the Sunshine class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school will be held at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the church. Mrs. Martenson, Mrs. Manning, Mrs. Storm and Mrs. Hardin compose the committee.

Evangelistic Service — "When the Stung Mother" is to be the sermon theme by the special speaker for evangelistic services at Grace Evangelical church this evening. The senior choir and other vocalists will furnish special music for the service, which is to open at 7:30 o'clock.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

JANUARY 18
Dement Schuler; James Forest Suter; Mary Ellen Wentling; Francis Simons, Sublette; Charles W. Brink, Amboy.

JANUARY 19
Oscar Penniston; Herman N. Rasch; Joseph Francis Draper, route 4; Mrs. Henry Schafer, Harmon; Darwin Miller Robert Warren, Paw Paw.

MISS BITTORF IS TO BECOME BRIDE

At a bridge-dinner given Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bittorf of Sterling, announcement was made of the approaching marriage of the Bittorfs' daughter, Louise, to Dr. Tim Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sullivan of this city. Forty-two guests were present to hear the news.

The date chosen for the wedding is Saturday, Feb. 11.

STUDY CLUB

The Misses Willa Minnihan and Helen Meeks presented the lesson at Monday evening's meeting of St. Anne's study club. Mrs. Frank Koepfel was hostess.

Supplementary topics were presented by Mrs. Irene Kreitzer, Miss Lenore Austin, Miss Helen Nagel, and Miss Margaret Minnihan.

Mrs. M. J. Wedlock will entertain at her home on Jan. 30.

Japan's imperial regalia consists of a jewel, a mirror, and a sword; there is no crown.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Wilson Smith and daughter Evelyn and Richard Schmidt of Reinbeck, Iowa, spent the week end with the former's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson of Nelson.

St. Anne's Guild Card Party, Thursday evening, Jan. 19th, at St. Anne's hall, Adm. 25c. Mrs. Geo. Slothower, chr.; Mrs. Frank Koepfel, co-chr.

Mrs. Walter Thompson, Mrs. William Scamp and Mrs. Charles Bohlken of Nelson were Dixon visitors yesterday.

Ellis Kugler of Harmon was a Dixon visitor this morning.

Attorney Edward Sullivan of Amboy transacted business in Dixon today.

Dr. S. Chandler Bend entertained Chief White Feather, evangelist, following Sunday evening services at the Gospel Tabernacle.

Mrs. Clara Fisher of Anamosa, Iowa, is spending some time here with her sister, Mrs. Frances Miller of 622 North Ottawa, who sustained the fracture of her right wrist about five weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Frazz returned last evening from Lyndon Station, Wis., after attending funeral services for her sister, Mrs. Lucy Wendick, who died Saturday afternoon at the home of another sister, Mrs. Henry Berkes at Winfield, Ill. Mrs. Wendick, who formerly resided in Portland, Ore., had visited in Dixon on several occasions.

Thomas Bride of Lee Center was in Aurora last week where he met A. E. McKinstry, chairman of the executive board of the International Harvester Co. Mr. McKinstry recently returned from Europe where he spent two months.

Chester Barriage has returned home from a business trip to Indianapolis, Ind.

John Batchelder of 213 Peoria avenue, who submitted to an emergency appendectomy Monday at Katherine Shaw Betha hospital, is recovering satisfactorily.

Supervisor John J. Wagner of Ashton was a Dixon visitor yesterday.

Daniel Embody, a department head of the Jacksonville store of Montgomery Ward and company, returned to Jacksonville yesterday after a brief visit with his father, Fred Embody of Second street.

Crew of Burning Ship Rescued at Gibraltar

Gibraltar, Jan. 18 — (AP)—Lloyd reported today that the steamer Waziristan had rescued the crew of the 2,733-ton British freighter Unus after a fire had caused the men to abandon the ship near here today.

The Waziristan, also British-owned, picked up the 14 men from a life boat shortly after receiving an SOS from the burning vessel and brought them to Gibraltar for treatment of minor injuries.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Fuel-Hungry Italy Has New Source Of Coal in the Island of Sardinia

Italy has a new coal bin from which to draw energy for her developing industrial life, according to reports of extensive coalfields recently inaugurated by Premier Mussolini at Carbonia, Sardinia. "Across the Tyrrhenian Sea from the Italian 'boot,' shaped roughly in the form of a giant parallelogram more than 9,000 square miles in extent, the island-province of Sardinia is one of Italy's chief mining centers," points out a bulletin from the Washington, D. C. headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"Coal City" Built to Work Mines

"In addition to lead, zinc, copper, silver, and other mineral areas, are the new coal districts along the southwest coast of the island. First industrial town to appear in the wake of 'black gold' is Carbonia ('Coal City'), whose surrounding mines are already employing an average of 6,500 workers producing coal at the rate of 60,000 tons a month.

"Linked by narrow-gauge railway with the near-by port of Sant'Antioco, also being expanded as a result of increased shipping demands, Carbonia is at present a town of some 12,000 inhabitants. Made-to-order were its city hall, school, hospital, theater, and nearly 400 buildings to house workers, technicians, and administrative officials.

"Its new church is dedicated to the Roman Bishop, San Ponziani, who, exiled to Sardinia more than 1,600 years ago, was forced to work in mines even then being operated there.

On Path of Conquest
"Mineral deposits of iron, copper, and silver—the fertile soil of its western plains—attracted Phoenician colonists to this island long before the birth of Christ. Later the Romans came, and made Sardinia one of the Mediterranean granaries that fed the empire's armies and citizenry.

"Its geographic location along the path of Mediterranean exploration and conquest gave Sardinia an inevitable role in the continuous drama of war and exploitation that followed. After the Romans, the Goths, Byzantines, Vandals, and Arabs overran Sardinia in successive waves of conquest.

"Pisans and Geonese drove out the Saracens and then disputed between themselves for the prize. Spain took over around the end of the 13th century and kept the island until, in 1708, the English fleet captured the port of Cagliari, and turned Sardinia over to Austria.

"Later, in return for Sicily, Sardinia was ceded to the dukes of Savoy, who adopted the title of King of Sardinia, eventually exchanged (1861) for King of Italy. "Today, the strategic location of Sardinia brings it more and more into the spotlight of European affairs. About 125 miles west of the nearest point of Italy, it is one of the stepping-stones between Africa and Europe. It is only seven and a half miles south of Corsica, and not much more than a hundred miles north of Tunisia, both of which French possessions have been lately in news headlines as Italian objectives.

"In 1936, the population of Sardinia was counted at little more than a million persons. Because of its difficult climate and rugged surface it is the least densely settled of Italian departments.

"Generally mountainous, Sardinia turns a granite back on the mother country to the east. In the west are volcanic uplands. The island has few rivers of consequence. These shrivel in dry seasons and swell to torrents with prolonged rains. More extreme than on the mainland, the climate is remembered by visitors for its hot, dry summers and harsh, wet winters.

"Both man and beast of Sardinia are small in stature. Unusually tiny are the local donkeys, as well as native Sardinian cattle.

"The number of bishops in the Church of England has trebled in the last 60 years, but there has been a decrease of 5000 clergymen in the same period.

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WILL MR. MURPHY INVESTIGATE HIMSELF?

The Dies committee investigating un-American activities has attracted nation-wide interest by its disclosure of subversive activities of communists and nazis. When the committee first began taking testimony it confined itself to efforts of the totalitarian philosophy to set up branches in the United States, and was accorded marked favor by the administration. Later, when the committee had explored fascism and nazi-ism, it turned the spotlight on communism; whereupon the investigation lost some favor at Washington. Inner circles did not like the way it heard charges that Madame Secretary Perkins hadn't seen fit to deport Harry Bridges, the west coast agitator; that Frank Murphy of Michigan had neglected to do his duty in connection with sit-down strikes gotten up at least in part by communist workers.

Now that the Dies committee has earned the right to continue its investigations, it is said the white house favors investigation of communist charges, and will act to that end.

Provided the Senate confirms the appointment of Frank Murphy as attorney general of the United States, the investigation of communist activities would be conducted by the F. B. I., which is under direction of Frank Murphy.

Frank Murphy is not a communist, and we are under no suspicion that he even favors communism. Still, so many charges involving communism were made, responsibly or irresponsibly, in connection with the Michigan sit-down strikes, taking place before the people of Michigan repudiated Murphy, that if Murphy attempts an investigation it will be a case of Murphy investigating Murphy. The conclusion is foregone. If Murphy is innocent of catering to communist agitators for political purposes, he will find himself innocent. If Murphy is guilty of catering to communists for political gain, he would not be expected to find much against himself. It isn't in the cards that he would suddenly repudiate the conduct which won him a cabinet position.

WHAT LIBERTY?

The sooner politicians at Washington stop misapplying such words as "liberty" and "democracy," the better off we will be, and the quicker we will return to the business of running this country as a republic, which is what it was intended to be.

What do they mean when they gab about liberty? Actually we are enjoying less liberty in the United States than we did before the World War. Actually the rubber stamp Congress of recent date was less representative of a democracy than the runaway Congress that put the skids under Herbert Hoover.

The colonists fought for liberty—freedom from British rule. We had freedom from British domination until Franklin D. Roosevelt came into office at least, and now we don't know how much freedom we have even from that. At least the President has refused to take official cognizance of the sly statements of British statesmen, hinting that there is some sort of tie-up. If the President has heard such statements he has not taken the trouble to disillusion the foreign mendicants.

Our personal liberty should end when we have interfered with the personal liberty of others. To what is this liberty due? To the Constitution, which has been under direct and indirect attack from inside the government itself for the last six years. It is due to the Supreme Court, which the President has sought to ruin. It is due to the Congress, which the President sought to dominate.

More talk has been devoted to freedom and democracy in the last six years than in any other comparable period since the war, and in what manner have the chief exponents acted? If there has been any change in the amount of liberty (with the sole exception of the right to manufacture, handle and consume intoxicants) there has been less of it, rather than more.

What we have is a self-governing republic, and the sooner we realize it, the less certain we are to be kicked where it hurts most by certain economic and psychological laws.

THERE'S ALWAYS A LIMIT

Man ever seeks to reach new levels in traveling speed, in height, in distance. But no matter what kind of a device he conceals there is always an end to the possibilities.

Prof. William F. Durand of Stanford University, an aviation expert, emphasizes this thought by predicting that airplanes will not be able to climb much beyond 60,000 feet or attain a speed of more than 500 miles per hour.

At that, the professor says, an Italian seaplane which made the existing speed record of 440.8 miles per hour had to sacrifice everything to its engine. Only sufficient room for the pilot and a small supply of fuel was left in the craft.

Perhaps man does not need to go faster; maybe he isn't meant to go higher. But, like the time machine in the play, "The Star Wagon," we can only see the past and present, not the future.

Man's greatest thirst for adventure will not be quenched. He'll set to work on a new machine in which to break the old marks.

THE WRONG IDOLS

American movies, increasingly influential in modes and manners of living, are said to be raising havoc in Australia. The report is that Australian women have been attracted to the handsome heroes. And the men are trying to recapture favor by having their hair frizzed, lending their hands to manicurists, and, of all things, plucking eyebrows.

Reputedly the men of that continent have been famous for their complete masculinity. If the male parade to the beauty parlors is becoming a mass movement, Australia has cause for alarm. But on whom can their ladies be concentrating?

Certainly not Clark Gable! In the United States, Clark sends the young fellows to developing a deep bass voice or donning breeches and boots for an exploration trip.

Nor Errol Flynn! American schoolboys attempt to be Flynn-like by fashioning swords from laths and staging an impromptu battle on the easy chairs and davenport.

NEW YEAR'S LOVE

by Angela Lorden

Chapter 30

'THIS IS HEAVEN'

Allan, sitting forward in his chair on the terrace, was holding Noel's hand tightly between his two palms, as though it were something precious. As though he would never let go.

"Tomorrow you'll be on your way to Hollywood and fame; far out of our reach, won't you, Noel?"

"There's not a place in the world distant enough for that," Noel's lips were trembling. She was afraid to look at him—afraid he would read what her eyes said so eloquently.

"It's just for this little while—you're here. It was as though he could hardly bear to say it. And I don't know when I may see you again. Probably some day in the theater, you'll appear on the screen and I'll say, 'That's Noel Marchand. I knew her one year. I wonder if she remembers me.'"

He let go her hand, leaned back in the chair, suddenly looking tired. "But do you know what my heart will say, Noel?" He was compelling her eyes to meet his. His eyes were pinpoints of light, like flame sending her blood racing.

Whatever it was his heart would be saying, Noel didn't hear. Then, "I brought you tea, Annie came here, sitting, carrying the huge silver tray."

Noel could have cried in her disappointment. The moment was gone. He was now a laughing, teasing, teasing, teasing Noel.

"Shall I pour you some tea?" The cup rattled against the tray. Her hands were trembling; tears she was trying to keep back stung her eyes. Please, please, make him say it just once, she was praying. I can be happy remembering it for the rest of my life.

Allan put down the tea, untouched. He seemed to be thinking deeply. He must tell her what it was, his heart would be saying, some day.

"You didn't tell me, Allan," it took courage and a kind of desperate need to bring the words out.

"Don't you know, Noel?" His eyes were hungrily upon her. She felt them burning right into her heart. The sun was now a burnt orange ball in the west. The sinking rays seemed to envelop them in a mellow warmth. The whole world seemed to sing with it when he said it, sitting across from her.

"I love you, Noel. I think I must have loved you from the very beginning."

Noel went over and sat on the grass at his feet. "And I love you, Allan, for so long I can't remember anything before it."

"Now it's too late." There was a doo min his words. Noel raised herself on her knees, touched his cheek lovingly. "No, it's not," the words poured in a rush—"it can't be too late, not now. I can be happy remembering it for the rest of my life."

Allan's arms held her close to him. Their lips met, were held in a passionate exchange. "Darling," he murmured, still keeping her tight in his embrace. They looked at each other, close together, discovering the glory of love.

And when Noel sank back on the grass, she dropped her head on his knees, held on to the arm around her shoulder. "This is heaven, Allan," she said dreamily. "Why didn't you tell me before?"

"A Matter Of Hours"

They talked of their love as though it were a rapture they were the first to discover. When he said, "Darling," she seemed to take it.

"I'll never leave you," she told him, sure of herself.

"It's only a matter of hours," His voice held pain. "In a few days you'll be so far away, Noel, that today will seem like a dream."

"I don't have to go," she said it determinedly. "I'll say I've changed my mind."

"You'll go. I wouldn't keep you here, Noel, if I could. It will be autumn before this sitting around like a battered creature is over."

"I'll come back with you," she promised. "When you send for me."

Allan's lips smiled agreement. His eyes were saying: "That's what you think now—but you'll never come back." And he got up from the chair, leaned on his cane. He looked down at Noel.

"Don't move for a moment," he said in soft, husky tones. "I want to remember you, just like that. The way you look there. There was a white line around his lips, his skin looked tightly drawn over his cheek bones."

The tears were on Noel's cheeks when she arose and put her arms around his neck. "I can't do it," she sobbed. "Allan, make me stay here—don't let me go now."

He talked soothingly now, gave her some of his own courage. Noel knew he was right. She'd given her promise to Criterion. With her arm through his, they walked slowly back across the terrace, round the house to the front steps. She dried her eyes quickly.

"I'd better be starting," she couldn't bear to look at his face as she said it. "Oh, Allan, promise me it's just for a little while."

Mrs. Marchand came through the front door, smiling. "What are you two children so serious about?" she asked with an affectionate rebuke. She stopped suddenly, caught in the tenseness of the atmosphere. "What's wrong?" she started to say. "What's wrong?" but didn't.

"I think I'd better go soon."

Noel's voice sounded hard. She was steeling herself against the departure. "When's the next train?"

"In half an hour—if you must. But so soon, Noel?" Mrs. Marchand wished she could do something about Allan—and Noel. "Joe will drive you down. Would you like to ride to the station, Allan?"

"I think not—if Noel doesn't mind."

Allan was standing in the shadows of the porch when Noel left. You must let us hear from you as soon as you get to Hollywood. Mrs. Marchand had her arm around Noel's waist. "I'll miss you greatly, my dear. And I'll be wishing you luck in your work."

"Goodbye, Allan," Noel held out her hand.

"I forgot something," Mrs. Marchand went into the house quickly. She wanted to leave them alone for a moment. It was a hurried kiss between them, breathless, agonized. Even then Noel waited to have him ask her to stay.

She thought of the ride to the station, she couldn't endure going away. The best, she was leaving behind. Hollywood loomed unpleasantly, then, ahead of her. Several times she almost said to Joe:

"Please turn back; I'm not going."

But she kept silent, quietly crying in the corner of the back seat. Through the misery of the brief trip there was one triumphant sentence pounding in her head:

"ALLAN LOVES ME!"

The miraculous, beautiful knowledge was slim solace as the distance between them lengthened. On the station platform, she stood alone and watched Joe amble back to the car.

In the distance Noel could hear the steam train chugging. Its smoke made a gray curl in the blue sky. Joe was starting the motor.

"Wait!" Noel called to him, running across the platform. Joe took his hand off the gear shift, in surprise.

"I'm not going to New York," she announced frantically. "Drive me back to the house, Joe."

Mrs. Marchand, sitting alone on the porch, jumped up in amazement. She rushed up the steps to her. "Where's Allan?" Noel asked breathlessly.

"He's in the study," his mother replied, not able to hide her amazement. Noel broke down completely.

"I thought I could go—" She was in the older woman's comforting arms. "I love Allan, too much."

"Noel, I'm happy. I've known for a long time it was you that Allan loved. I've wished so much for you to be happy together. Her voice cracked on the words. Her chin quivered as she said, "Go to Allan, my dear."

Noel walked through the long hall, knocked on a door at the end.

"Who is it?" came a muffled voice. She heard Allan's slow shuffling footsteps.

"It's Noel," she was singing it, waiting.

The door opened and Allan stood before her, leaning on his cane. "I came back—for always." Her arms went round his neck. "Say you're glad, darling."

She could feel his whole body tremble, pressed against hers. "You can't send me away now. She buried her face in his shoulder. "Nothing else matters, as long as I'm with you. I'll help you get better."

His hand raised her head, touched her face lovingly. "You won't regret it," he asked with the last ghost of his doubt.

"Never, never," she told him. "What will you do about Hollywood?" he continued. They were on the divan, with their arms round each other. "You'll see," she promised mysteriously and then whispered, "I love you—did I remember to tell you?"

Finally she got up from the sofa. "May I use the telephone?" He started to leave the room. "No, wait with me," she asked. And then she picked up the phone, called the Criterion offices. When she was connected with Bill Smith, she told him:

"I've decided I'm not going to Hollywood. Will you notify Mr. Felgel?"

Bill was yelling back. "You're crazy!" and when he had calmed down to inquire the reason, she explained.

"I'm being married, instead. Bill was urging, arguing vehemently. 'I'm sorry, Bill. I can't change my plans. Goodbye.' She hung up before he could answer again.

Her eyes were like blue night when she turned back to Allan. "Now you'll have to marry me, my love. I've given up my last job."

His answer was wordless—convincing. "Darling—try and stop me!" She knew then the happiness of being loved by Allan Her whole life, she knew, had led up to this moment, up to the years ahead of them. "We'll be happy forever," Allan sighed blissfully.

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The End.

WOMEN GET MORE SAY

LONDON—(AP)—The Ministry of Health has ordered that more women must serve on Housing Committees in England when the planning of houses is being considered.

"INTERCEPTOR" PLANES WILL BE PERFECTED

Seen by Experts as Effective Weapons as Combat Bombers

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 18—(AP)—Aeronautical engineers are turning to a new type of airplane for an effective weapon against one of modern warfare's greatest terrors—the bombing plane.

Fighting in Spain and China has uncovered limitations of anti-aircraft guns and military observers are inclined to believe the answer to the bombing plane problem may be found in fast climbing and heavily armed "interceptor" ships, an aviation expert said today.

Within the past two weeks one large builder of military airplanes has announced development of a new style "interceptor" ship and the adoption of a pursuit model already in use for the same purpose.

Development of the two ships is but part of a general trend to build into the newest pursuit model necessary "interceptor" qualities. These qualities are an extremely rapid rate of climb, speed and heavy armament.

Seek Fast Climber

"The air corps is seeking a defensive plane that can climb rapidly to a given altitude with heavy enough armament to knock down big bombing planes," the aviation expert said.

Although most modern pursuit planes might be used for intercepting purposes because of their speed and rapid climb, the expert declared the new ships have a lighter wing loading and sacrifice a long cruising range for faster climbing ability and more speed.

In addition to machine guns, the interceptors are designed to carry small cannons for use against the larger bombers.

A reliable source said a pursuit bomber to be announced next month would be equipped to carry a 500-pound bomb under the fuselage and three 25 pounders under each wing. It will have machine guns to fight off attacking craft, a cruising range of 1,500 miles and a speed of "roughly" 280 miles an hour when loaded with bombs, he added.

It was explained the pursuit bombers would move so fast it would be almost impossible to intercept them before they reached their objectives. Once the bombs were unloaded they would become fighting pursuit planes with a top speed of more than 300 miles an hour.

AERONAUTICS ASSN.

St. Louis, Jan. 18—(AP)—The largest civilian aviation association in the United States threw its weight today behind the government's program for national air defense.

By fostering air education, the expansion of private flying and the establishment of a pilot re-

YEARS AGO

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity in the Past

(From Dixon Telegraph)

51 YEARS AGO

Hon. Joseph W. Fifer of Bloomington, candidate for governor, is at the Nachusa.

We regret to learn that Jonas Berger a resident of Palmyra had his hand severely cut while chopping cornstalks with a feed cutter.

Samuel Dysart, S. T. Mills, William Hunt, U. G. Dysart, Valentine Hicks, John Nelles, Nicholas Rowe are the incorporators of the Rising Sun Park Association with capital stock of \$50,000 to establish game preserves in the Inlet Swamp.

25 YEARS AGO

The board of local improvements today abandoned a plan to pave Depot avenue from Third to Fifth street with brick.

Rev. Edward W. Jeffries, prominent in religious work in Dixon for many years, passed away yesterday at a Lake Geneva sanitarium.

Michael O'Malley, who until two years ago was a resident of this city, passed away this morning at his home at Garden Plain near Belvidere.

10 YEARS AGO

Governor Louis L. Emmerson was unable to come to Dixon to attend Grand Lodge of Illinois A. F. & A. M. meeting and complimentary banquet because of pressure of business in his office at Springfield.

Eugene F. Bedient, prominent resident of Lee Center township, dropped dead yesterday afternoon while conversing with Highway Commissioner Albert H. Hill in the Jeanblanc garage at Lee Center.

serve composed of civilians who have been taught to handle the controls of warplanes, the National Aeronautics Association planned to help put the nation on a potential war footing.

For three days the organization, which closed its annual convention last night, heard government officials and military experts warn of the possibility of armed European aggression in the western hemisphere.

In an address at the final session, Col. Louis Johnson, assistant secretary of war, said the airplane had assumed "tremendous psychological significance" in international affairs.

Referring to President Roosevelt's proposal to train 20,000 college students yearly to fly, Johnson remarked:

"Out of this coterie of intelligent, enthusiastic, air-minded young pilots will come a preponderant number of our fliers in an emergency."

The program of the association for buttressing national defense was set down in a series of resolutions which denoted the emphasis it placed on citizen-flying and air education in the public schools.

Within its own framework it created a private flying division, "charged with the carrying out of a nationwide program of organization and development in this important field."

Hairdressing provides employment for 300,000 persons in England.

LET'S EXPLORE YOUR MIND

A fascinating pastime with Albert Edward Wiggam, S. Sc., Author of "THE MARKS OF A CLEAR MIND."



"The keenest anguish known to human nature is the pain of a new idea." (Bagehot). We hope this column brings you pain.

Answer to Question No. 1

1. Of course the best bet is to tell her both, but if it be a choice—and you don't have the self-control to keep your face straight while you tell her she is intelligent—then by all means use the beauty technique. If that doesn't work, try the other—if your conscience permits.

Answer to Question No. 2

2. Yes, because animals have fewer brain and nerve cells shaped like pyramids, with sharp points, and with long hairs—(dendrites)—at the points, connecting them with other cells. Most of their brain cells are pear-shaped with short dendrites. Therefore, their intelligence is limited and you do not have to make many guesses as to what they will do. Most human beings have millions of pyramid shaped cells—especially the intel-

ligent ones—and they keep you guessing all the time.

Answer to Question No. 3

3. As a rule it is a sign of mental power. It is what psychologists call the "memory span." Some people instantly repeat 10 or 12 numbers after hearing them once—Finkelstein, Polish mathematical wizard, can repeat 27. Some people can repeat only 3 or 4. This is especially true if you ask them to repeat them backwards. A child of eight who cannot repeat five numbers backward, such as 6-9-7-5-8, after you say them forward is not likely to get through high school, although there are numerous exceptions. No one should be judged by this one test alone.

Tomorrow: Do people of similar build and appearance have similar natures?

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FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON

With Dixon's fourth conference encounter due on Friday night when DeKalb's cagers will be the visitors here, Gene McNamera stands as high scorer for the locals' loop games. Gene has scored a total of 36 points in the games with Sterling, Belvidere and Mendota. Louie Bevilacqua is second with 19 points. Bugg has 17, Moore has made seven, Wienman has made four, Page has three and Bush has none.

Dixon Rifle club defeated Pla-Mor club of Rockford in a Rock River Valley Rifle League shoot by a score of 933 to 924. Lloyd was high scorer for Dixon with 190. Others on the local club were Wagner, Hill, Wadsworth and Michael.

About 35 local basketballers are participating in the Industrial League which offers the fans a doubleheader each Wednesday night at the Dixon high school gym. Tonight begins the second round in the league with the I. N. U. and Reynolds clashing in the first game. Last week the wire boys broke the jinx which had held them under 11 points for three encounters, but still failed to win. However, the boys are more determined than ever to climb out of the cellar. The I. N. U. team is just as fixed on the policy of staying near the top of the standings. Elchlers and Borden will ring down the curtain in the last game of the night. Action begins at 7:15.

George Covert, Jr., of Dixon, now employed in Freeport, saw action in the Journal-Standard's game with a vocational school quintet from Beloit Monday night. George played as a forward and guard and made one bucket in the Freeport triumph on the count of 48 to 18.

Dixon's lightweight cagers are in second place tied with Mendota in the standings of the North Central conference. Belvidere with two victories and no defeats heads the bill. Dixon and Mendota have each won two and dropped one. DeKalb has a percentage of .333 with one victory and two defeats while Sterling stands without a triumph in three starts.

The Elks club ping pongers are planning a tournament at the clubhouse for Friday night.

Committees have been named to organize the recreational periods of the junior farmers' classes held each Thursday night, under the supervision of John Weiss of the high school faculty. The committees and those named to serve are: Bowling—F. J. Benson, R. McClanahan, D. Miller; Basketball—James Wolf, Ken Mercer, H. Littrell; Wrestling—F. J. Benson, J. Willard, R. Truitt; Volleyball—Paul Page, R. McClanahan, Ed Cornish; Boxing—Richard Whitney, Robert Moore and B. Reuter.

The Meridian tournament begins tonight at Malta with Fairdale vs. Caledonia in the first game, Lee vs. Poplar Grove in the second and Kishwaukee vs. Creston in the final game of the evening. The first game starts at 7:00 p. m.

A team of boxers from St. Patrick's parish at Dixon will meet a team of St. Vincent's orphanage leatherpushers tonight at St. Vincent's gym in Freeport. There will be twelve bouts on the card and the first will start at 8 o'clock. On the Dixon team are: W. Parker, 66 lbs.; K. Lane, 72 lbs.; J. Hannon, 72 lbs.; R. Hannon, 80 lbs.; E. Fane, 82 lbs.; W. Richards, 85; J. Wallin, 92 lbs.; W. Callahan, 95 lbs.; R. McBride, 98 lbs.; L. Egan, 98 lbs.; H. O'Rourke, 118 lbs.; and N. Pierre, 125 lbs.

Huntley, the team Dixon defeated to take third place in the DeKalb holiday tournament, last night trimmed St. Mary's of Woodstock, 26 to 15.

In a non-conference engagement at Belvidere last night the hometown team rolled over Marengo, 32 to 23. The Belvidere ponies won 22 to 2. In the heavyweight encounter both teams scored heavily in the first quarter which ended 11 to 10 with the visitors leading. Belvidere snagged nine points to two by Marengo in the second period to end the half with the home team ahead, 19 to 13. Marengo rallied in the third quarter with seven points to four by the hosts, but Belvidere moved on into the last frame for nine more points while Marengo was held to three. Dixon will meet Belvidere here for the second game of the season on Feb. 10.

DeKalb's heavyweight cagers have scored a total of 52 points as compared to 84 by the opponents. Dixon, on the other hand, has scored 87 points in three conference games, as compared to 73 by the rivals. Not to be forgotten in this picture are the facts that DeKalb has lost all three conference encounters and Dixon has dropped one out of three.

Sterling Community's cagers won an inter-city battle last night with Rock Falls, 34 to 28, scoring 12 points in the second quarter and ten in the third. Rock Falls took the lead at the end of the initial stanza, 9 to 5, but a fast-breaking Community offense soon rolled up enough points to end the half at 17 to 13. In the preliminary contest the Community reserves won, 26 to 24.

Louis Seems More Concerned About Culture Than Night of January 25

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEA Service Sports Editor

Pompton Lakes, N. J., Jan. 18—

(AP)—Joe Louis Barrow appears

vastly more concerned about culture

than his 15-round meeting with

John Henry Lewis at the

Garden, Jan. 25.

Indeed, had not John Henry

made some bum cracks about his

capabilities, it is doubtful whether

the heavyweight champion would

waste time discussing his first

pugilistic effort since he turned on

the heat against Herr Max

Schmeling in Yankee Stadium in

June.

Louis now prefers to spar with

16-pound books. The Alabama-

born Negro's idea of a perfect big

bag is an entire five-foot shelf of

them. If he had his own way, he

would do road work in the library.

He would rather guard against

splitting an infinitive than split

wood.

Joe Louis may fight like Jack

Dempsey, but he aspires to be an

other Gene Tunney.

Jack Blackburn, the scar-faced

old trainer, and Carl Nelson, the

Chicago cop and bodyguard, here-

tofore Louis' only and constant

companions before battles, have

been replaced by the erudite Wil-

liam Watson, Michigan's gentle-

manly captain and one-man track

team.

Likes Environment

Bill Watson came to Dr. Joe

Bier's famous Pompton Lakes

camp at the invitation of the

Brown Bomber.

"I like the environment that

Mr. Watson furnishes," explains

the changed Mr. Louis, who now

talks of show horses which he

rides himself, and such.

Mr. Watson, who returns to Ann

Arbor next month for the second

semester, was a happy choice at

last. Mr. Watson is a most useful

hike. In addition to his tutoring

and secretarial work, he sees to it

that the titleholder does not lack

pacing over snowy roads in the

early morning.

Mr. Watson was an amateur

champion at Saginaw, and it is re-

ported that on graduation from

college he may try his large hand

Iowa Star Leads Big 10 Scorers

Barrow Becomes Dictator of Yank Empire

COLONEL RUPPERT IS SUCCEEDED BY EDWARD BARROW

Position is a Fitting Reward for 20 Years of Fine Service

By GAYLE TALBOT

New York, Jan. 18.—(AP)—

Edward G. Barrow, 71 years old and a powerful character in every way, is the new president and absolute dictator of the World Champion New York Yankees.

As a fitting reward for nearly 20 years' service with the club as its secretary and business manager, Barrow was unanimously named to fill the vacancy created by the death last Friday of Colonel Jacob Ruppert, whose wealth combined with Barrow's baseball wisdom to create the Yankee empire.

Though he left no explicit instructions in the matter, the colonel doubtless would be happy to know the men he placed in charge of the Yankees at his death had passed on complete power to his old lieutenant. The colonel's brother, George Ruppert, declined the presidential post at the meeting of the estate's directors and assured the election of Barrow.

Active in Baseball

An active figure in baseball for more than 40 years and acknowledged to possess one of the shrewdest brains in the business, Barrow is the proper man to carry on the Yankee tradition of victory. Only in the most important matters, like for instance the sale of a Yankee property, will he consult with his three fellow trustees—George Ruppert, Frederick Grant and H. Garrison Silleck.

"There won't be any real change," he said last night. "I always made the decisions, and it was only very seldom that Colonel Ruppert questioned my judgment."

George Weiss, by Colonel Ruppert's express request, will continue as directing force of the vast Yankee farm system which he created and brought to its present perfection.

Barrow developed two of the greatest stars the game has known, Honus Wagner and Babe Ruth. He considers Wagner, whom he sold for \$2,100, the best ball player he ever saw.

Managed the Babe

He managed the Babe in 1918 and 1919 when Ruth was with the Boston Red Sox, and was mainly responsible for converting Ruth from a pitcher into the greatest slugger of all outfielders. He handled the Babe with a heavy hand, and it is recorded that when they clashed it invariably was Ruth who backed down.

Barrow was born at Springfield, Ill., and in his younger days was for a time city editor of the Des Moines leader at \$35 a week. Later he was a highly successful soap salesman in Pennsylvania before turning up as manager of the Paterson (N. J.) club of the Atlantic League in the middle 90's. That was where he uncovered Wagner.

Louis Weighs 202

Louis weighs 202 pounds, and because of the cold weather expects to scale no more than a pounds less for his meeting with Lewis, who anticipates coming in at 184.

Jim Howell, the only real big fellow in camp, was let go early because the demand has been for sparring mates more of Lewis' size and with some of his equipment.

Speed is the thing Smoky Joe seeks this trip. He's been outboxing partners possessing good shares of it.

Louis and Lewis were good friends until John Henry got to telling of what he intended to do to the Detroit warrior.

"I see where John Henry says he'll knock my head off," asserts the Dark Angel, "but I don't see any heads that John Henry ever knocked off. My record shows knocking off heads than John Henry. That boy had better watch out."

Mr. Louis had laid off from January to June when Herr Schmeling tagged him in their first edition.

This time his layoff has extended from June to January.

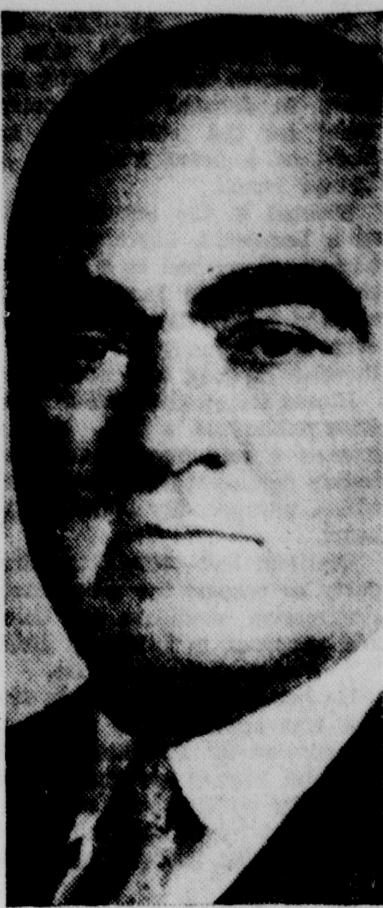
But Mr. Louis prepared and trained differently this trip, and you gather that he intends to pick up right where he left off against Herr Schmeling.

That would mean that Mr. Louis would bump smack dab into a cross between a cyclone and a hurricane.

SMALLEST QUAKER

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—Ray Divard, 5-foot, 5-inch, 135-pound forward is the smallest player ever to gain a regular position on a Pennsylvania basketball varsity.

New Ruler



Ed G. Barrow

A powerful character in every way, Edward G. Barrow at 71 has been named to fill the vacancy created by the death of Col. Jacob Ruppert as ruler of the World Champion New York Yankees and their extensive empire.

Waterman Trips Steward Quintet 33-25, Last Night

A burst of power in the second half gave Waterman the victory over Steward last night on the losers' court, 33 to 25. Steward was leading at the half, 15 to 10, but the inspired drive of the visitors netted them 13 points in the third period and held Steward to five to end the stanza, 23 to 20, with Waterman leading.

In the final period Waterman more tallies as the visitors held the Steward offense to five corners.

Smiley, Waterman center, was high scorer for the evening with 17 points on six field goals and five free throws. Hermann, Steward's center, paced his mates with ten points on three field goals and four charity shots.

Two of Coach Lemon's lads, Carter and Wrigley, left the game on fouls.

The Steward quintet will be idle until Jan. 27 when the boys will invade the Lee Center court. The Waterman lightweights tripped the Steward reserves, 20 to 9, in the preliminary game last night. Box score:

Waterman (33)				
	FG	FT	F	T
Stryker, f.	3	0	0	6
Babcock, f.	0	0	3	0
Edwards, f.	0	1	2	1
Smiley, c.	6	5	3	17
Maple, g.	1	2	1	4
Sawyer, g.	0	0	3	5
Totals	12	8	12	33

Steward (25)				
	FG	FT	F	T
O'Donnell, f.	1	2	1	4
Wrigley, f.	1	3	4	5
Herrmann, c.	3	4	2	10
Carter, g.	1	1	4	3
Chapman, g.	1	1	0	3
Kirby, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	11	11	25

Score by Quarters				
	1	2	3	4
Waterman	4	6	13	10
Steward	7	8	5	3

St. Louis Catcher Also a Designer and Builder

Sarasota, Fla., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Billy Sullivan, versatile catcher of the St. Louis Browns, is attracting considerable attention in these parts as a designer and builder of ultra-modern homes.

At present he is working on his own house, with but one other carpenter assisting. Sullivan is doing all the painting.

Asked for comment on the coming baseball season, he said he could see little change over last year.

"But diplomatically speaking, the Browns for the pennant," he said, with a grin.

195 Golfers Start in San Francisco Tourney

San Francisco, Jan. 18.—(AP)—With a field of 195, including ambitious caddies and some of the nation's best professionals, the \$5,000 San Francisco national match play open championship got under way today.

Eighteen hole today and 18 tomorrow will make up the qualifying round, with the 32 low medal scores matching up for two rounds of play Friday, two more rounds Saturday and the 36-hole finals Sunday.

NO FUGITIVE NOW

New York, Jan. 18.—Vadim Medvedeff, Columbia varsity cager, is a White Russian who was smuggled out of the country by his parents during the revolution in 1917.

"PICK" DEHNER IS NEAR TOP IN BIG TEN SCORE LISTS

Illinois Player Trails the Hawkeye Cager by Only Two Points

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A point-getting battle which goes hand in hand with the closeness of the team standings today found Ben Stephens, the Iowa star, still leading the race for individual scoring honors in the Big Ten basketball race—but only by a two point margin.

The keen-eyed Stephens had scored 56 points on 18 field goals and 20 free throws, with "Pick" Dehner, Illinois center, holding a 54 point total on 18 baskets and 18 foul shots. Stephens, a forward, at first was thought to be tied with Dehner, but it was discovered he made a field goal against Purdue that was credited erroneously to Dick Platt.

Other Challengers

But while Dehner and Stephens may appear to be making a two-man show of the race for individual laurels, there are at least three stars in a challenging position. Jim Hull of Ohio State has 42 points, Bill Hapac of Illinois, 41 and Johnny Kundia of Minnesota, 40.

On offense, Indiana leads the field with a team total of 149 points, followed by Illinois at 146. Minnesota's defense has been tops, opponents scoring only 110 points on the gophers. In four games, Purdue has allowed 112 points.

THE LEADERS

	FG	FT	F	T	P	F	T
Stephens, Iowa, g.	18	18	7	24			
Dehner, Ill., c. g.	18	18	7	24			
Hull, Ohio State, f.	17	8	4	42			
Hapac, Ill., f.	15	11	13	8	41		
Kundia, Minn., f.	18	4	7	6	40		
Armstrong, Ind. f.	11	8	7	6	30		
Lounsbury, Chi., c.	11	6	9	11	28		
Vance, N. W., g.	10	6	8	3	28		
Andres, Ind., g.	12	4	3	3	28		
W. Menke, Ind., c.	12	3	8	7	27		
Dick, Minn., g.	11	5	3	4	27		
Koble, N. W., f.	12	3	6	2	27		
Stampff, Chi., g.	7	13	9	3	27		

Legend: fg, field goal; ft, free

throw; pf, personal fouls; f, f, free

throws missed; tp, total

points.

SAYS NEW RULING ON PITCHERS WILL MAKE IT A MESS

Cleveland, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Johnny Allen has thought about the new baseball rule allowing pitchers to take one foot off the slab, and visioned umpires to the left of him, volleying and thundering.

"It will be a mess," he declared. The Cleveland Indians' ace moundman, who never has been accused of inviting an umpire along on a vacation jaunt, couldn't decide if the rule would be allowed to help the pitcher.

"A lot of them are going to develop cantankerous windups and steal a couple of feet on each pitch," he predicted. His right elbow was in a cast from an operation this week, so he demonstrated with his left.

"The pitchers will be bothering the batter. So the umpires will be out there making a lot of decisions on what you can do and what you can't. Nobody will know where he stands."

The tall fireball artist fired away at the "lively ball" as the cause of a flock of trouble to a flock of famed pitching arms. He who turns in victories like a mechanical man averred baseball's rule makers have "made a robot out of the pitcher."

Mark These Dates

Tonight
Leaf River at Monroe Center.

Industrial League games at Dixon high school gym.

January 20

Polo at Amboy.

DeKalb at Dixon.

Forreston at Kirkland.

Byron at Ashton.

Paw Paw at Hinckley.

Belvidere at Mendota.

Franklin Grove at Leaf River.

Oregon at Mt. Morris.

Rochelle at Rock Falls.

January 21

DeKalb at Waterman.

Polo at Milledgeville.

Rochelle at Sycamore.

January 23

Oregon at Ashton.

January 24

Franklin Grove at Forreston.

January 25-28

Little Ten Tournament.

January 26

West Brooklyn at Compton.

Industrial League games at Dixon high school gym.

January 26

Amboy at Rochelle.

Boxing bouts at Chgo, Ill.

Through a Blazing Hoop on Skis



Marking the first time that the dangerous leap has been executed outside of European snow centers, Paul Gstrein ski-jumps through a blazing hoop in the Lac Beauport area of Quebec.

Down The ALLEYS

CITY LEAGUE, Jan. 17

	W	L
Schlitz	30	18
Strub & Schultz	28	20
Boynott Richards	24	24
Reds	23	25
Beiers Salesmen	22	26
Myers Royal Blue	22	26
Mt. Morris	22	26
Dixon Oil	21	27

Team Records

Boynott Richards	1029
Mt. Morris	1004

High team series

Boynott Richards	2867
Reds	2797

Individual Records

High ind. game	265
High ind. series	656
Ridbauer	632
M. Thompson	632

TODAYS MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)

Stocks—Steady; leaders mark time.
Bonds—Higher; U. S. government bonds at new peak.
Corn—Mixed; power shares ease.
Foreign exchanges—Steady; sterling, franc, shade upward.
Cotton—Higher; trade price fixing.
Sugar—Improved; firmer spot market.
Coffee—Uneven; trade support; European selling.
Chicago—Higher; strength abroad.
Corn—Unsettled; Argentine rains.
Cattle—Strong, 25 cents higher.
Hogs—Active; 10-20 cents higher.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

Open High Low Close

WHEAT
 Mar. 68 69 68 69
 May. 68 69 68 69
 July. 68 69 68 69
 Sept. 70 70 69 70

CORN
 Mar. 52 52 52 52
 May. 52 52 52 52
 July. 54 54 53 54
 Sept. 54 54 53 54

OATS
 Mar. 29 29 29 29
 May. 27 27 27 27
 July. 27 27 27 27
 Sept. 27 27 27 27

SOY BEANS
 Mar. 83 83 83 83
 May. 83 83 83 83
 July. 83 83 83 83
 Sept. 83 83 83 83

RYE
 Mar. 46 46 46 46
 May. 47 47 47 47
 July. 47 47 47 47
 Sept. 48 48 48 48

LARD
 Jan. 6.25 6.40 6.25 6.40

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Potatoes 83 on track 369, total U. S. shipments 537; dull, supplies rather liberal, demand slow; sacked per cwt. Idaho Russet Burbanks US No. 1, few sales 1.55-75; Colorado Red McClure US No. 1, cotton sacks few sales 2.00-05; burpuck sacks 1.85-80; Wisconsin round whites U. S. commercial 1.17-1.20; Michigan Russet Burbanks US No. 1, 1.25-27; North Dakota Bliss Triumphs 90 per cent US No. 1, 1.50-60; cobbles US No. 1, 1.32-1.40; Ohio 85 to 90 per cent US No. 1, 1.42-1.50. New stock about steady, supplies moderate, demand slow; track sales, carlots and less than carlots. Bushels crates Florida Bliss Triumphs US No. 1, few sales 1.80-85, mostly 1.80.

Poultry live, 1 car, 27 trucks, steady; hens over 5 lbs 17 1/2; ducks 4 1/2 lbs up colored 14, white 15, small colored and white 12; other prices unchanged.
 Dressed turkeys firm; bbls, young toms 26 1/2; other prices unchanged.
 Butter 750,875, steady, prices unchanged. Eggs 11,491, unsettled, prices unchanged.
 Butter futures close: storage standards Jan 24 1/2; Feb 24 1/2; Nov 23 1/2. Egg futures close: refrigerator standards Oct 19 1/2; Jan 14 1/2; fresh graded firsts Jan 17 1/2; Feb 16 1/2.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 13,000; fairly active; mostly 10-20 higher than Tuesday's average; top 7.80; good and choice 160-210 lb 7.60-80; 220-250 lb 7.35-85; 260-310 lb 7.10-35; good and choice 100-150 lb packing sows 6.25-60; lighter weights up to 6.75.
 Cattle 7,500; 1,000 calves; fed steers and yearlings strong to 25 higher; active at advance; strictly good and choice kinds up most; top 13.65 on weighty steers; several loads 13.00-60; mostly 9.00-12.00 market; yearlings up to 13.00; weighty kosher heifers 12.00; but most light short fed heifers 10.00 down; heifers 25 higher; cows strong to 25 higher; light kinds steady; with all weights scarce; practical top weighty sausage bulls 7.25; cutters 4.50-5.50; beef cows 5.75-7.00; choice kinds up to 8.00; plain and medium steers and heifers very scarce.
 Sheep 9,000; late Tuesday fat lambs steady to weak; spots 24 more lower; bulk 9.15-50; loads packing finish 9.00 down; today's lamb trade weak to 25 lower; talking upward to 9.00 and 9.10 on good to choice offerings; best held above 9.25; sheep strong; choice light fed western ewes started at 4.80.
 Official livestock estimates to-morrow: cattle 5,000; hogs 20,000; sheep 10,000.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—

Wheat No. 2 red 74 1/2; No. 3 (garlicks) 69 1/2; No. 2 hard 69 1/2; No. 2 hard tough 71 1/2; Corn No. 2 yellow 52 1/2-53 1/2; No. 3 51 1/2-52; No. 4 50-51; No. 5 49 1/2-50; No. 2 mixed 55; sample grade 47 1/2.
 Oats No. 2 white 32; No. 1 white 33; No. 2 32 1/2-34; No. 3 29 1/2-32; No. 4 28 1/2-29 1/2; sample white 26-30 1/2.
 Barley Illinois malting 35-42 nom; malting 50-55; No. 1 56; No. 2 54; No. 3 52; No. 4 50; Timothy seed 2.85-3.15 nom; red clover seed 12.00-16.00 nom; red clover 8.75-9.25 nom.

Local Markets

CHICAGO NET TRACK BIDS

New No. 4 white corn

No. 2 white corn 20 days 48 1/2
 No. 3 white corn 20 days 50 1/2
 No. 2 yellow corn 49 1/2
 No. 3 yellow corn 49 1/2
 No. 2 hard wheat 70 1/2
 No. 2 yellow wheat 70 1/2
 No. 2 red wheat 70 1/2
 No. 3 rye 10 days 70 1/2
 No. 2 yellow beans 80 1/2
 No. 2 oats 30
 No. 3 oats 29
 Freight to Chicago from Dixon: corn and rye 6 1/2 cents per bu; wheat and beans 7 1/2 cents.

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

All Corp 1; All Chem & Dye 184 1/2; All Sols 10 1/2; All Car & Mfg 64 1/2; Am Can 88 1/2; Am Car & Fdy 23; Am Cor 100 1/2; Am E & F 30 1/2; Am Loco 27 1/2; Am Met 37; Am Pow & Lt 6 1/2; Am Rad & St 16 1/2; Am Roll Mill 18 1/2; Am S & R 48 1/2; Am Stl 37 1/2; A T & T 133; Am Tob 8 5/8; Am Type 6 1/2; Am Wat Wks 14; Anaconda 31 1/2; Arm Ilf 5 1/2; A T & S F 38 1/2; Avl Ref 22 1/2; At Corp 8 1/2; Avl

Corp 7 1/2; B & O 7 1/2; Barnsdall 17 1/2; Beattie 13 1/2; Bendix 31 1/2; Beth Stl 73; Boeing 31 1/2; Borden 17 1/2; Borg Wam 29 1/2; Cal & Hec 7 1/2; Can Dry G Ale 20; Can Pac 5 1/2; Cater Trac 46; Celanese 22 1/2; Cerro de Pas 46; Cert & Bond 11 1/2; C & O 26 1/2; Chi & N W 7 1/2; Chrysler 77 1/2; Col P 13 1/2; Col G & El 7 1/2; Coml Cr 52 1/2; Com Sol 11 1/2; Com & So 1 1/2; Corn Pr 65 1/2; Curt W 6 1/2; Doulg 19 1/2; Dupont 14 1/2; Eastman 182; Erie RR 15 1/2; Fairb Morse 42; Gen Elec 41; Gen Fds 39 1/2; Gen Mot 47 1/2; Gil Saf 8 1/2; Goodrich 37 1/2; Goodyear 35; Graham P 1 1/2; Hudson Mo 7 1/2; I C 18 1/2; Int Harv 55 1/2; Johns Manv 101; Kenn Co 39 1/2; Kresk 21 1/2; Kroger 23 1/2; Lib O F 61 1/2; Lig M 103; Mack Tr 27 1/2; Mar Fld 14 1/2; May 8 1/2; Montgomery 49 1/2; Nash Kelv 9; Nat Bis 25; Nat Cash Reg 25; Nat Dairy Pr 12 1/2; N Y C R R 19 1/2; North Am Co 24 1/2; Nor Pac 12 1/2; Otis Stl 13 1/2; Owens Ill Gl 67 1/2; Packard Mot 4 1/2; Param Pict 12 1/2; Penney 78 1/2; Penn R R 22; Philip Morris 97; Phillips Pet 40 1/2; Proc & Gam 56; Pub Sec N J 33 1/2; Pullman 37 1/2; Pure Oil 10; R C A 7 1/2; R K O 2 1/2; Rem Rand 15 1/2; Reo Mot Car 1 1/2; Repub Stl 22 1/2; Rey Tob 14 1/2; Sears Robt 71 1/2; Shell Oil 14; Soc Vac 13 1/2; Soc Pac 18 1/2; Sou Ry 20 1/2; Std Brands 45; Std Oil Cal 28; Std Oil Ind 28 1/2; Std Oil N J 50 1/2; Stewart Wam 11 1/2; Studebaker 8 1/2; Swift 19 1/2; Tex Pac 46 1/2; Tex Gulf Sul 32 1/2; Tex Pac L Tr 8 1/2; Timken Roll B 48 1/2; Twent Cent Fox F 29; Unit Carb 88; Unit Pac 96; Unit Ail 12 1/2; Unit Air 39; Unit Corp 34 1/2; Unit Fruit 67 1/2; U S Rub 46 1/2; U S SU 64 1/2; U S Stl Pl 117 1/2; Warner Bros 6; West Un Tel 23 1/2; Westing Air Br 29; West El & M 112; White Mot 12 1/2; Wilson 4 1/2; Woolworth 49 1/2; Wrigley 7 1/2; Yell T & C 19 1/2; Youngst Sh & T 50 1/2.

U. S. Bonds Close

(By The Associated Press)

Treas 3 1/2-45 110.6
 Treas 4 1/2-44 114.25
 Treas 5 1/2-43 113.24
 Treas 6 1/2-42 113.24
 Treas 7 1/2-41 113.24
 Treas 8 1/2-40 107.21
 Treas 9 1/2-39 107.11
 Fed Res 5 1/2-43 114.17
 HOLC 3 1/2-44 107.9

Police Seeking—

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with antiques. The deputy coroner said Mrs. Romig drove an expensive automobile.
 A sister, Mrs. A. J. Wernert of Shelbyville, said Mrs. Romig was born in Randolph, Ill., with the maiden name of Hougham and had been married twice before.

Franco's Army—

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raging over leftist demands for French aid to government Spain to prevent adverse results of an Italian-supported victory for the insurgents.
 Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet was reported to have insisted, before the cabinet, on maintaining neutrality in Spain and keeping France's Pyrenees border closed. This, he was said to have insisted, was necessary to hold Britain's support for France in other European problems.
 Southwest of Barcelona Generalissimo Franco's troops reported they had crossed the Goya river, thrust back government lines which had held since the fall of Tarragona Sunday, taken two small villages and gained three miles.
 Government resistance apparently stiffened west of the threatened capital, however. A column led down the Barcelona-Lerida highway by Franco personally was slowed up and turned to clean-up operations.
 Word that its defenders were standing firm on the west helped lift gloom which had settled over Barcelona when the insurgent advance only 35 miles from the capital presented the gravest threat of the two-and-a-half-year civil war.

State Tests Forgery

Case Against Moran

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The George (Bugs) Moran and two state tested today its case against others charged with conspiracy to manufacture and pass \$2,000 of fake American Express Company travelers' checks.
 The last witness for the prosecution was Barger Hanson, an engraver who printed the checks. Hanson told of melting the plates from which the checks were made after the scheme was exposed by the arrest of three men in Pittsburgh.
 Hanson, Emil Ahrens and Del Bruno, printers, pleaded guilty.
 Moran's co-defendants were Frank Parker, former "airplane bootlegger" and Frank Hicketts.

COUNT MARRIED STUDENTS

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Of the 6,212 students enrolled at the University of Chicago last fall, 13 per cent were married, according to a survey by two students for the Daily Maroon, student newspaper.

BIRTHS

COX—A son, born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cox at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital.
 FARINGER—A daughter, born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Faringer at Katherine Shaw Betha hospital.

Terse News—

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part of a projected strip 38 miles long between route 70 and route 6.

VOLLEY BALL

The business men's volley ball class will meet Thursday at 5:45 P. M. at the high school gym. Those men interested in joining come in at the west door to the athletic field or see Benj. Schildberg. It is desirous to make plans to form teams and start a tournament to play some of the teams from the neighboring towns. The class meets for play Tuesdays and Thursdays at the above hour.

YOUNG GIANT HERE

Lon Warnke, 20, student of a small Colorado college, stopped at the city hall jail last night for lodging. Warnke, a giant for his age, measures six feet, nine inches, and is a twin, enroute to his home at Michigan City, Ind., for a semester vacation. He is a member of the college basketball squad and was hitch-hiking to his home for a brief vacation. The youth weighed 200 pounds and departed this morning to resume his jaunt to his home.

SHERIFF TO INDIANA

Sheriff Gilbert Finch went to Blue Island this morning in response to information received from Sheriff Perry C. Bennett of Belvidere, which stated that police of Blue Island were holding a truck load of poultry believed to be stolen property. The Lee county sheriff went to Blue Island to investigate the possibility that some of the chickens might have been parts of flocks which were stolen from three farms in Reynolds township during Monday night.

FOR SOUTH ABUTMENT

The excavating for the south abutment of the new stream-lined Galena avenue bridge was begun this morning by the Shappert Engineering company. Trucks are being used to haul the dirt from the excavation to the north river bank where it will be used in replacing a section of the parkway west of the dam which was washed away by last spring's high water. Weather conditions permitting, it is expected that the second pour of concrete in the coffer dam of the north abutment will be made the latter part of this week.

DIED IN BLUE EARTH

Dixon relatives have received word of the death of Mrs. C. B. Ankeney, former Dixonite, at Blue Earth, Minn., this morning. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at Blue Earth. Mrs. Ankeney, who resided here until about 20 years ago, is survived by her husband and 12 children. Five cousins reside here, including Mrs. Nellie Spangler, and Harry, Ray, Clyde and Jesse Carson.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Former Ogle—

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had apparently healed the feeling between Jack Heipel, an older brother, here as a witness, and the defendant.
 At the preliminary hearing the former had indicated he did not wish to speak to his brother nor would he look in Harry's direction as he gave evidence of how Harry had possession of Kaeser's car in Winnipeg following Nov. 9, the day Kaeser was believed shot.

Kingdom

Miss Inez Brink spent Sunday in Chicago visiting friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Gates and children spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gates.
 Mrs. L. R. Floto spent last Tuesday in Dixon with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Weisz.
 Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glessner from Grand Detour were callers at the William Morris home one day last week.
 Mrs. William Rossitter from Sterling spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brink.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Morris spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Morris near Franklin Grove.
 Supper guests at the William Morris home on Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. John J. Morris from Franklin Grove, Mrs. William Hepler and son Delbert. Mr. and Mrs. Morris expect to leave soon for Long Beach, Calif., where they will spend several weeks.
 Mrs. Lee Brink entertained the following guests on Wednesday afternoon at a tea. The afternoon was spent in a social way and sewing quilt blocks.
 Mrs. William Fisher, Mrs. Lee Fiske, Mrs. August John, Mrs. Kate Floto, Mrs. Lottie Floto, Mrs. George Floto, Mrs. Will Morris, three children, Eva Morris, Irene and Shirley John, Mrs. Elias White from Walnut spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Will Morris.
 The children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams who are confined to the house with scarlet fever, are on the road to recovery.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

MILWAUKEE CLERK DEAD

Milwaukee, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Egie J. Gut, 44, city clerk for the past three years, died today. He had been ill more than a year with a heart ailment. Survivors include the widow, his mother and two children.

Quarter Billion—

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by law for specific purposes such as debt servicing and highways.

While the budget was transmitted by the Democratic Acting Governor Stelle explained in a press conference the figures were prepared by the finance department and the budgetary commission headed by Rep. James P. Boyle, Chicago Democrat. Nudelmann is an appointee of Governor Horner.

The summary budget will be followed next week with a detailed itemization of appropriation needs, Stelle announced.

U. S. Gets Increase

Generally, the new budget held closely to appropriations for the present biennium, but increases were allowed the University of Illinois and several state departments. It was proposed to continue the legislative council with a \$50,000 appropriation.

Taking into account \$9,950,000 of deficiency appropriations this legislature may approve before the current biennium ends, the budget estimate was for a \$2,050,000 net treasury balance on June 30 this year.

Besides \$4,500,000 for relief, the deficiency appropriations listed as likely were \$3,300,000 for old age pensions, \$1,000,000 for inheritance tax refunds, \$600,000 for blind relief and \$500,000 for state institutions.

Administrative Agencies

The tentative 1939-1941 budget calls for an increase of \$5,440,743 in appropriations to judicial and administrative agencies, public welfare institutions and higher education.

A decrease of \$2,716,060 under appropriations for the current biennium would be allotted to legislative agencies and major local government functions.

Increases to administrative agencies would total \$3,097,813, of which \$242,180 would go to the attorney general and \$385,837 to the military and naval department. The latter figure included a new item of \$200,000 for "extraordinary repairs" of armories.

Lieut. Gov. Stelle was the only executive officer who reduced his biennial request, trimming \$4,400 from the amount he received for the current biennium. The budget estimate for the governor's office and mansion would remain the same—\$188,200.

All of the proposed appropriations for the coming two-year period are subject to legislative revision.

Comparison Given

A comparison of estimated appropriations for the 1939-1941 biennium with those for the two years ending next June 30 follows:

Legislative agencies, \$1,623,220 and \$1,709,220.
 Judicial agencies, \$3,181,650 and \$3,032,160.
 Governor—office and mansion, \$188,200 and \$188,200.
 Lieut. Governor, \$40,000 and \$44,500.
 Secretary of State, \$3,046,920 and \$2,965,876.
 Auditor, \$2,205,100 and \$2,019,800.
 Treasurer, \$620,170 and \$579,250.
 Attorney General, \$1,016,400 and \$774,220.
 Supt. Public Instruction, \$413,260 and \$362,140.
 Boards and commissions, \$3,427,170 and \$3,392,190.
 Welfare institutions, \$37,239,992 and \$35,879,146.
 University Break Down.

The University of Illinois portion was broken down as follows: the first figure being from the new budget and in parentheses the appropriation for the current biennium:
 Operating expenses, payable from general funds, \$11,955,736 (\$10,449,632); permanent improvements, \$1,250,000 (\$1,050,000); any or all purposes, payable from university revolving fund, \$4,200,000 (\$3,700,000).
 For the five normal schools, the comparison was:
 Operating expenses, payable from general funds, \$4,054,136 (\$3,865,349); reserve, blank (\$188,787); permanent improvements, major repairs and equipment, \$970,000 (plus appropriation of \$30,000 to the state architect's office) (\$1,000,000); any or all purposes, payable from normal school revolving fund, \$1,000,000 (\$80,000); printing and postage (indirect), \$49,600 (\$40,310); normal school board, \$17,200 (blank).

—FEED THE BIRDS—

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

Dixon Gospel Tabernacle—Fifth and Ottawa, Last Sunday night the tabernacle was filled to its capacity as Chief White Feather brought a most interesting message. We are hoping to have him return for a more lengthy campaign in the future. Tonight there will be Bible study from the big chart. The service begins at 7:30 P. M.

Next Sunday night only, Jan. 22, Rev. R. Bryant Mitchell of Des Moines, Iowa, Missionary Evangelist will show hand colored lantern slide pictures of various mission fields. His work is non-sectarian in purpose and world wide in vision.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

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EDW. COSTIGAN

FORMER SENATOR

DEAD IN DENVER

(Picture on Page 1.)

Denver, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Edward P. Costigan, 64, who in 1931 became one of the first senators to demand direct federal relief for the jobless, died last night of a heart attack at his Denver home.

Elected to the senate in 1930 as a Democrat, Costigan quickly became recognized as a leader of the liberal bloc that eventually enacted a New Deal program incorporating many governmental theories he long had advocated.

Illness forced Costigan to retire from public life in 1936. He contracted a cold Sunday, and yesterday developed lobar pneumonia, which unexpectedly affected his heart.

Costigan left the Republican party to become the unsuccessful Progressive candidate for Colorado governor in 1912 and 1914.

For Reciprocal Tariffs

He became a Democrat in 1916 and was appointed to the tariff commission by President Wilson. Costigan argued for the reciprocal tariff policies now being put into effect by Secretary Hull. He resigned from the commission in 1928.

He was a co-author of the Jones-Costigan sugar act, later expanded into the present program which gives sugar beet farmers direct benefit payments.

When, in 1933, congress gave the federal government the responsibility of caring for the needy, as he and Senators La Follette and Wagner had advocated two years earlier, Costigan said "a great principle is being established."

Mrs. Mabel C. Costigan, the widow, and Miss Josephine Roche, former assistant secretary of the treasury, were at the former senator's bedside when he died.

Native of Virginia

Costigan was born in King William county, Virginia, July 1, 1874. He came to Colorado with his parents when he was a boy. He was admitted to the bar at Salt Lake City, Utah, in 1897, then went to Harvard and was graduated with an A. B. degree in 1899. The following year he began the practice of law in Denver. With-

in a few years he was an acknowledged leader in prohibition and reform movements and was active in securing enactment of the Colorado direct primary law.

Costigan became prominently identified with organized labor in 1914, when he represented the United Mine Workers of America in defense of union men charged with murder as an outgrowth of coal mine disorders at Ludlow and other southern Colorado towns.

Finally, in 1916, he won acquittal for all the defendants.

Organized labor groups, particularly the United Mine Workers, swung to his support in his 1930 senatorial campaign. He and the mine union organization in turn supported Miss Roche in her unsuccessful candidacy for the Democratic nomination for governor of Colorado in 1932. Costigan had been credited with drafting unusually liberal labor contracts offered to miners by Miss Roche's coal company, a large Colorado producer.

Costigan married Mabel G. Cory of Denver on June 12, 1903.

POLO

Mrs. Maude Reed Reporter

Phone 59-Y

TOWN TOPICS.

Mrs. Richard Minnier was pleasantly surprised Tuesday afternoon by a group of girls, at her home. Refreshments consisted of angel food cake baked by Mrs. Charles Ports and fruit salad.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reed and Mr. and Mrs. David Weber and son Carl attended the second annual meeting to the Ogle County Service Co. at the Oregon Coliseum today. A free dinner was served at noon and reports of officers were read and the year's profits paid out to stockholders.

The Buffalo Farm Bureau Community unit enjoyed a scramble dinner Tuesday evening at the Legion hall. The program was a guitar solo by Mrs. Goldie Wilke. She was accompanied at the piano by Bessie Heckman. Harold Mertz gave a vocal solo and W. T. Graham of Polo read several of James Whitcomb Riley's writings.

Jimmy Marquetz of Dixon visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Wagner, Tuesday evening at a 6:30 dinner Monday evening at her home on West Mason street for the Woman's Social club and their husbands. Twenty-four were present. The evening was spent playing "42". Prize winners were Mrs. Daisy Foster, ladies' high; Mrs. Dale Betenberger, score for ladies; John Gasman, high score for men; and Bert Coffman, low prize for men.

Hazel Wagner spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Maude Marquetz, at Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wolfe and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henley drove to Chicago Sunday to see Raymond Henley who is in a hospital there. Raymond is getting along as well as can be expected.

FRANKLIN GROVE

Miss Grace Pearl
CorrespondentIf you miss your paper, call
Howard Karper

BY MISS GRACE PEARL

Franklin Grove—Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dyrast entertained for dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albright of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dyrast of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and son Clifford, Misses Eunice and Lucy Gilbert from north of town were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Miller and daughter, Miss Eunice.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hicks had as their dinner guests Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. Chester Snyder and daughters and Walter Beachley.

Mrs. Clark Cryor and daughter Jane of Chicago are visiting in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Carrie B. Crawford.

Mrs. LeRoy Miller taught school Monday for Miss DeBray who has the primary room and was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Myers motored to Freeport Sunday where they enjoyed dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Finkel and daughter, Miss Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sidel have purchased the late Mrs. Emma Crawford's place, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard. The place is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Speck. The Sidel family will move there in the spring.

Miss Bertha Zoeller went to Chicago Sunday for a week's visit with relatives. Her brother, Don Zoeller of Dixon will assist in the Zoeller restaurant during her absence.

The many friends of Mrs. Clyde Speck will be glad to learn that she has so far recovered from her recent attack of pneumonia so as to be able to be up part of the time.

Mrs. Ruth Kelley submitted to an operation Saturday at the Dixon hospital for the removal of a tumor. At this writing she is doing as well as could be expected. Her friends are hoping with her and her family for a speedy recovery and a return home.

Work has begun on the floor at Presbyterian church. Lee Sidel is doing the work. Getting the floor in readiness for the new seats which will be installed as soon as the floor is ready.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Breunier were Sunday dinner guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sarwine in Dixon.

Mrs. Vina Krouse returned home Sunday evening from a visit in the home of her son George Krouse in Dixon.

GONE INTO BUSINESS

Kenneth Wasson has taken over the oil station at the Fruit corner, on the highway. Carl Sunday who had the station will work for Mrs. Bessie Murrell.

Mrs. Bessie Murrell is now in the trucking business. Kenn, as he is known to everyone, is a good, clean, honest, upright young man, and deserves a part of the oil business. Here is wishing him success.

LADIES' AID ENTERTAINED

The Ladies' Aid society of the Lutheran church entertained the families of the members with a scramble dinner Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wendell. Over twenty enjoyed the dinner. The regular business meeting of the society was held after dinner, after which a social time was enjoyed with games and visiting.

CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kint entertained the Contract Bridge club at their home Thursday evening. At contract Cecil Clark, who has been playing for men, Mrs. Wilbur Breunier, honor. During the social hour which followed the game, most delicious refreshments were enjoyed.

BIRTHDAYS HONORED

The Rockford Register-Gazette in its Friday issue had a number of pictures of people who were celebrating their birthday anniversaries on Friday, the 13th. On the front page we noticed the pictures of Janet and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schaefer, and Dorothy May Cravens, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cravens, all of this place. After all it may be said that we have just a lot of "bad luck." So cheer up you two. We are all wishing for you both many years of happy life.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Clarence Assmann, Assessor, as hostess. Mrs. Howard Norris, Mrs. Clyde Phillips, Mrs. Arthur Tholen and Miss Dorothy Durkes. A shower for the church kitchen will be the main feature of the meeting. The kitchen is in need of several articles and the ladies are taking this way to supply them.

CHURCH SUPPER

About eighty gathered at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening to enjoy the scramble supper and the church night. The Loyal Gleaners' class of the Sunday school with the teacher, Miss Lucy Gilbert, had charge of the evening. The class furnished the meat, potatoes and coffee for the supper. The entertainment for the evening was furnished by Cletus Thomas and his family from Joliet. Cleo is a former member of the local Presbyterian church and his friends were very glad to greet him again. Music was furnished by Cleo with the violin, his son Will with the cornet, and his daughter, Betty, on the piano. Pictures were shown of various places in and around Joliet and many of the World War, more especially in Russia where Cleo was stationed for a long time. The evening is one that will long be remembered by all.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Wolf entertained their group of the Friendship Circle of the Church of the Brethren for dinner Sunday. The group is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Group and son Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fair and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hood and Merle Cluts.

PRISCILLA CLUB

Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes and Mrs. Marjorie Howard will entertain the members of the Priscilla club

with a 1 o'clock luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. Durkes.

OFFICERS ELECTED

After the regular preaching services Sunday afternoon at the Lutheran church the annual congregation meeting was held. At this time the election of officers for the Sunday school was held, which resulted as follows:

Superintendent — Herman Schaefer; assistant superintendent — Dorothy Schaefer; treasurer — Roy Wendell; organist — Cora Schaefer.

ITEMS WANTED

Do please give us your items. One can plainly see that we do not have the usual number of items. We do call a good many folks, but if we have missed you, be generous and let us hear from you. If you prefer, mail them. We know it is very quiet, not much doing, but that makes it all the more necessary that you help us. We do appreciate it when someone calls us and tells of a place where we might get an item. Someone who had company, or a gathering, if the time doesn't appear, please let us know. There are times when we call and the time is not given to us, for reasons. We appreciate any item, long or short. You like to read, let us know. Please be generous, and help us with your items that this column may be maintained.

OREGON

Mrs. A. Tilton

Reporter

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Nelson Cann

PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

The annual celebration of the president's birthday will be observed Monday, Jan. 30 at the Coliseum. Burton Haas is chairman of arrangements. The funds from the celebration will be distributed on a new 50-50 plan; 50 percent to be retained by the community, the other 50 percent to be raised and 50 percent to the national foundation for the fight against infantile paralysis. The program will consist of music presented by the Oregon Business Men's club at 8 o'clock, followed by dancing with music furnished by Al Lind's band of Rochelle.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at the parsonage. Mrs. John Bechtold will assist Mrs. J. E. Dale as hostess.

OFFICE ENLARGED

Oregon Lumber company is enlarging and redecorating its office. Two new trucks have recently been purchased, a Ford V-8 and a Al Snapp operates, and a General Motors truck, driven by Grover Cox.

ILL

A. S. Marshall, clerk at Sinnissippi hotel, is confined to his bed by illness.

STATED MEETING

A stated meeting of Sinnissippi Chapter, O. E. S., will be held on Thursday night with a picnic supper at 6:30. A social hour will follow the business meeting.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Mrs. C. D. Elyne will be hostess to the Presbyterian Missionary society Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Beveridge as leader. The topic of the meeting is "New American Neighbors."

DIED OF PNEUMONIA

Hiram Groenhagen, 80, of Stillman Valley, who had been ill at the local clinic for a week of pneumonia, died last Monday afternoon.

SEMINAR EXAMIS

Semester examinations will be held at the Oregon high school on Thursday and Friday.

ENTERTAINING AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Elyne will entertain dinner guests on Thursday evening. Mrs. Margaret Leonard of Portland, Ore., Attorney J. C. Seyster and Tom Seyster.

REHEARSAL

The Gay-La chorus will meet on Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hooks for rehearsal, followed by a social hour.

TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Emory Woods accompanied her father, Henry Eisenberger of Lanark, to Mayo Brothers hospital at Rochester, Minn., Sunday for observation and treatment.

EXCAVATING FOR POSTOFFICE

Excavating for the new post-office building to be erected at North Fifth and Washington streets began Monday. The dirt from the excavation is being used to fill the hole where the building of the Spohn and Rose Lumber Co. were burned recently.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Behler and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Eyrick were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Behler at Sycamore.

CHURCH SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gantz entertained at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Elyne and Mr. and Mrs. George E. Schultz.

Miss Constance Van Inwegen of Glencoe spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. C. P. Van Inwegen, and sister, Miss Mildred.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shaw, son Billy and Mrs. A. B. Davis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cleveland at Prophets-town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Woodworth were visited Sunday by the latter's sister, Mrs. Josephine Wetherstone of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lebowich were Chicago visitors from Monday to Wednesday.

Mrs. Pat Cleary was a passenger to Chicago Monday expecting to return Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cox have moved from east Oregon to an apartment in the Anton Schier residence.

Mrs. Vernie Shelp of Lanark is spending several days at the homes of Mrs. Bessie Stefa and Mrs. Laura Fouch.

INCOMPATIBILITY? POOH! London — (AP) — "Incompatibility of temperament" is a lovely phrase, invented by a Victorian novelist, but it does not mean anything at all. So said Judge Langton in the divorce court.

Mt. Morris

Mrs. Lucy Meeker
Reporter

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Stanley Schmucker

Mount Morris—Mr. and Mrs.

W. E. West accompanied their son Orval and his daughter, Irene of Polo, to Chicago Sunday where they visited Bethany hospital where Miss Irene is planning to take nurses' training after a year at college. While in Chicago the party had dinner with a nephew of the senior Wests, Mr. and Mrs. George Ridgely. Mr. Ridgely has been an instructor for a number of years at the Lewis Institute in Chicago.

Mrs. Florence Hefner and two sons and Miss Lehman of Forrester and Miss Irene West, Polo, accompanied Rev. and Mrs. W. E. West to Cherry Grove Sunday. Following services at the church, Rev. and Mrs. West and granddaughter had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Hinnrich at Lanark. The rest of the party also visited friends in town.

Rev. Foster B. Statler is in Cedar Rapids, Iowa this week conducting evangelistic services in the Church of the Brethren in that city.

Rev. William Manny, Rev. Harold Wiltz and Rev. Foster B. Statler attended a meeting of the Ogish County Ministerial association in Rochelle on Monday. Rev. Sidney Bloomquist of Polo gave a review of Rediscovery of Man by Link and Rev. Frank Campbell of Rochelle gave a splendid talk on "An Approach to the Problem of Miracles." The next meeting of the association will be held at Oregon on Feb. 20.

J. Walker Robbins attended a meeting of the Winnebago Farm Bureau in Rockford Monday.

Bonnie Frey, Bonnie Merriman and Rosemary Klepfer will appear in a dance recital given by the Dufshutz school of Rockford on Feb. 5 at the auditorium of St. Patrick's school.

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GRAND DETOUR

Grand Detour — Mrs. Louisa Senn entertained Mrs. Mary French at dinner on Wednesday honoring the latter's birthday.

A number from this vicinity attended the cooking school in Dixon the past week.

A number of friends from Dixon and Grand Detour wended their way to the William Winebrenner home where they surprised Mrs. Winebrenner, on Thursday evening, the occasion honored her birthday. The evening was spent in playing 500 and dainty refreshments were served. The party broke up at a late hour and the guests everyone wished for Mrs. Winebrenner many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Lowell Brooks and infant daughter are home from the Dixon hospital on Friday.

Dr. Gebhardt of Dixon was a recent professional caller at the Frank Morgan home.

Mrs. Alfred Parks entertained eight ladies at her home on Friday afternoon.

Lex Andrus of Portland, Oregon called on friends here on Friday and was entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Roe.

Mrs. Goldie Wilkey and Goldie Powell of Polo spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose. The couple Mr. Strouse is on the sick list at this time.

A number from our local Grange attended the installation of officers at the Byron Grange on Friday evening. A scramble supper was also enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wales Sheller called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Benson of Sterling Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bettv Feindt was a Dixon shopper Saturday afternoon.

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Glenn Lehman of Pine Creek was a recent business caller here.

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Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Seibolt spent the Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Parks.

Death came and claimed Mrs. A. O. Jones early Monday morning. She had been ill for some time. Her family has lost a loving wife, and mother, and we have lost a kind neighbor and friend. The family and the sympathy of the entire community.

By George E. Phillips

An argument which it is said started in the 17th century, many hundreds of miles from Lee county, is scheduled to be settled in the ring at Ohio a week from this coming Thursday. Although, a closely guarded secret, the story leaked out last evening that in 1639 Patrick Sharkey of Dublin, Ireland, and Dennis Friel of Leek, Ireland, were rivals for the hand of Kathleen Driscoll, a colleen described in the press of that day as the belle of all the belles of the county. The combat was the full 45 rounds that it was scheduled for and as it was before the day of 16-pounce gloves and Marquis of Queensbury rules, both parties were badly hurt. The fight was a bloody and covered with gore. It is related that Miss Driscoll, overcome by the appearance in answer to his fervent pleas of the affair, a soft "yes" in her ear as she sponged his sweat-soaked brow and endeavored to repair the damage to his general appearance.

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FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Mrs. James Grieve Walker entertained the Friendly society Monday afternoon. Honors in cards were won by Mrs. Walter Kittler. The next meeting will be held two weeks hence, with Miss Anna Farrington.

WINTERING IN WEST

Mrs. Laura Wirick left Wednesday for Santa Monica, Calif., to spend the remainder of the winter.

BRIDGE CLUB TO MEET

Mrs. Eugene Cahill will entertain bridge club members at her home Thursday evening.

Mrs. HERKENHINE HOSTESS

Mrs. Will Herkenhine will entertain the Friday Afternoon Bridge club, Friday.

SUPER CLUB SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Herman will entertain their Sunday night supper club at their country home near Rochelle.

BRIDGE WAS PLAYED

The Rochelle Catholic Ladies met last evening for a regular meeting. Honors in contract bridge were won by Mrs. Romeo Caron and in auction bridge by Mrs. Lewis Boos. Plans were made for a card party to be held Monday, Jan. 20. Co-chairmen for the party are Mrs. Owen Lamb and Mrs. Paul Henry. Mrs. Dan Hooley and Miss Agnes Stevenson were the ticket takers. Other members on the committee are Mrs. Romeo Caron, Mrs. Emmett Hayes, Miss Leona Ringering, Mrs. Forrest Miller, Mrs. Joe Asvig, Mrs. Fred Hickley, Mrs. John Hermann and Mrs. Sue Evans.

TWO CAGE GAMES

The Rochelle high school basketball team has games scheduled for both Friday and Saturday night of this week. On Friday they will go to Rock Falls and on Saturday they will go to Sycamore for games.

SEMIESTER EXAMINATIONS

Examinations on work covered during the first semester at Rochelle Township high school will be given Thursday and Friday of next week. The examinations will mark the close of the first semester and the second semester will begin Jan. 30.

HUMIDIFIER INSTALLED

A new humidifier has been installed at the township high school by the school board. The relative humidity of the building is now kept at 40%.

STUDENTS TO RULE

The Rochelle high school civics class will take over management of the classes of the school and the office of Supt. J. A. Hills for one day, Thursday, Jan. 19. Petitions for candidates for the school board were circulated and seven members were elected by the student body. They are: Robert Nesheim, president; Lee Pentz, Rogene Oakes, Philmore Oakes, Mary Ann Caspers and Mrs. C. E. Hensinger. The newly elected students on the board then selected members of the civics class, who wrote applications for the positions. The pupils selected to fill these positions are: superintending, Donald Baker; Typing, Donna Vogeler; Shorthand, Irene Tjaden; English IV, Robert Fell; English III, Jeanne Breyman; English II, Lauretta Seipie; English I, Evelyn Cronk; Socialism, Helene Winslow; French, Grace Hay; Algebra I and II, John Campbell; Math, I, Jack Drain; William McCaslin; Latin, Irma Lu Zimmerman; civics, Jerry Wilson; Typing, Girls Physical Training, Roy Nelson, Maxine Eyster; Physics, Lowell Johnson; Biology, Lloyd Phillips; Judson Calhoun; General Science, Carl Guile; Civics, Robert Nesheim; Rhetoric, Margaret Ruth Baker; Farm Mechanics, Lester Rittmeyer; Animal Husbandry, Lawrence Mowers; Art, Eugene Krehenbult; Foods, Rogene Oakes; Clothing, Penny Country; Industrial Arts, Ward Country; Philmore Oakes; Orchestra, Vinton Vesta; Chorus, Mary Ann Caspers; Business Training, Lillie McClain; Training, Barbara Bain, Mary Voss; Library, Halie Chapman; Hazle O'Brien; janitor, Melburn Furland. Students had

LEAPING AMPHIBIAN

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured edible amphibian.

5 It feeds on small fishes and —

9 It belongs to the genus —

13 Emended.

15 Dissociated.

17 Wan.

18 Electrical unit.

20 Eucharist vessels.

21 Primitive chisel.

22 Cornered.

23 Poker stake.

25 Musical note.

26 Southeast.

28 Corpse.

29 Perfect land.

32 Aside.

35 Assists.

36 To arrest.

37 To tell tales.

39 Furious.

41 Type.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

16 North America.

19 Pronoun.

21 It lays its eggs in —

22 Nap raising device.

24 Its legs are — as food.

26 To move sideways.

27 Overpowering fight.

30 Grain.

31 Cavity.

33 Nominal value.

34 Striped cloth.

38 Simplest known animal.

40 Rabbit.

43 Imitated.

46 Moist.

48 One time.

49 Inlet.

50 Arm bone.

51 Incarnation of Vishnu.

52 To leave out.

54 Indo-Chinese person.

56 Feudal benefice.

VERTICAL

42 Ell.

43 Part of "be."

44 Street.

47 Spore.

51 Lasso.

53 Calyx leaf.

55 Nothing.

56 Noted.

57 Chancel part.

58 Food container.

59 To eject.

60 Its young.

61 It is mostly in character.

1 France.

2 To say again.

3 Egg-shaped.

4 Gilding.

5 Plural pronoun.

6 Smell.

7 Mimic.

8 Therefore.

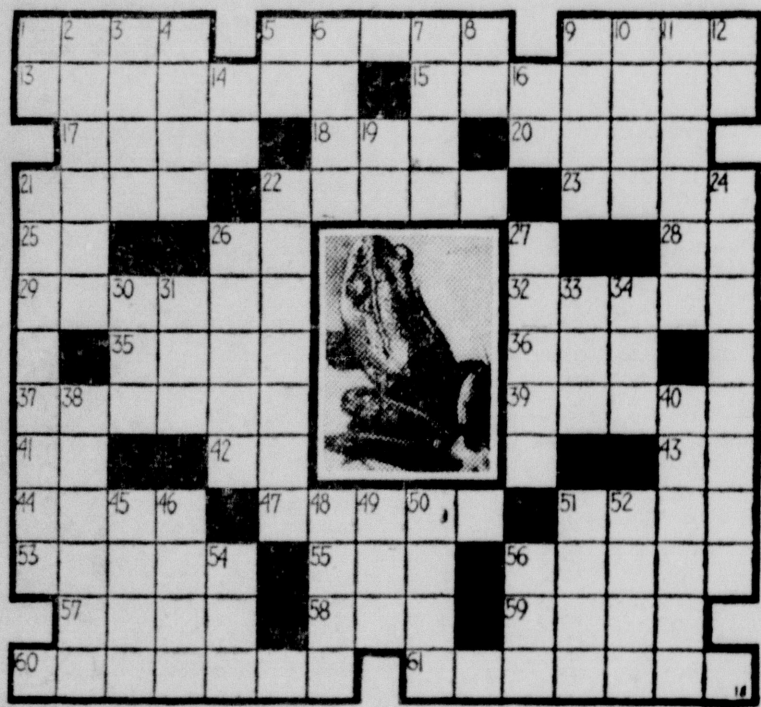
9 Fissure.

10 Mohammedan prayer call.

11 Animal that nests.

12 Advertisement.

14 Measure.



SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"Why should I be kept waiting? I discovered Dr. Biglow!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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ANSWER: Head, Heart, Hand, and Health. The earth, which is slightly flattened at the poles, would become spherical if it stopped spinning.

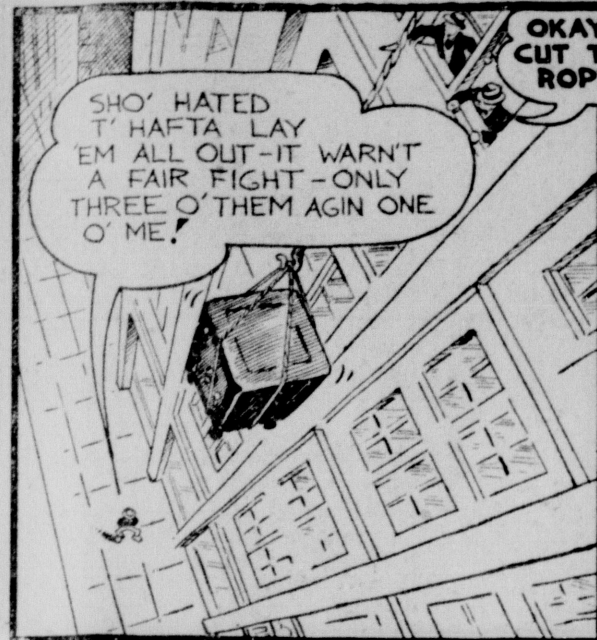
NEXT: What part of the United States, if any, has been under only one flag?

LIL ABNER



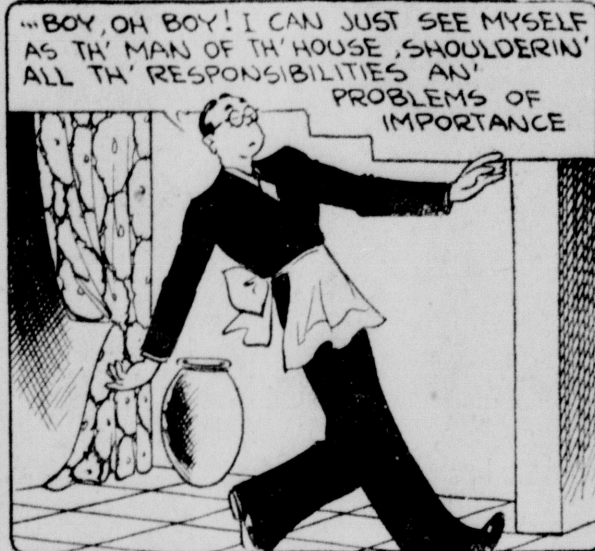
Oh, Happy Day!

By AL CAPP



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Tsk, Tsk!



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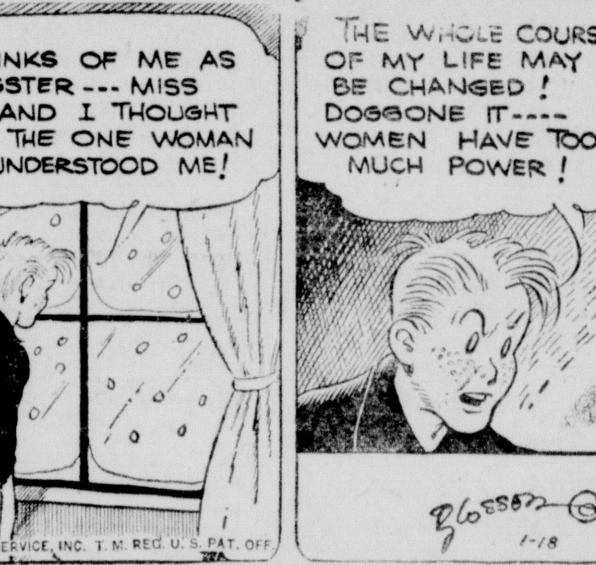
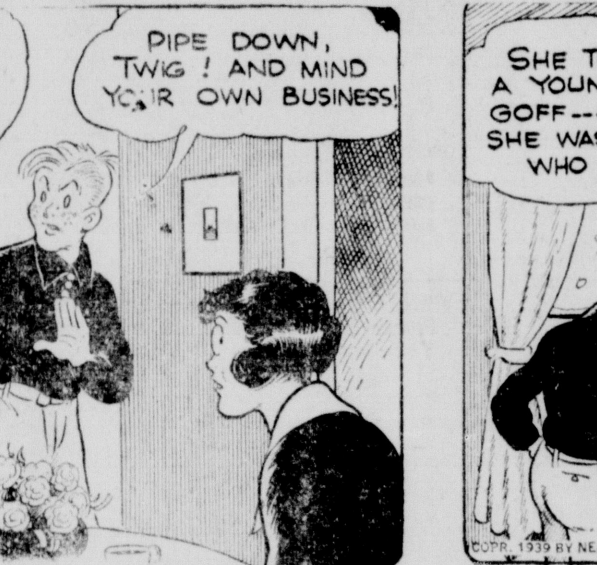
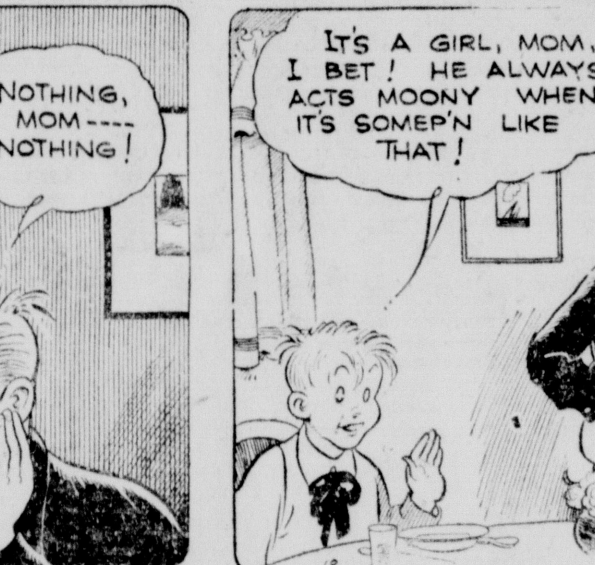
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The Weaker Sex

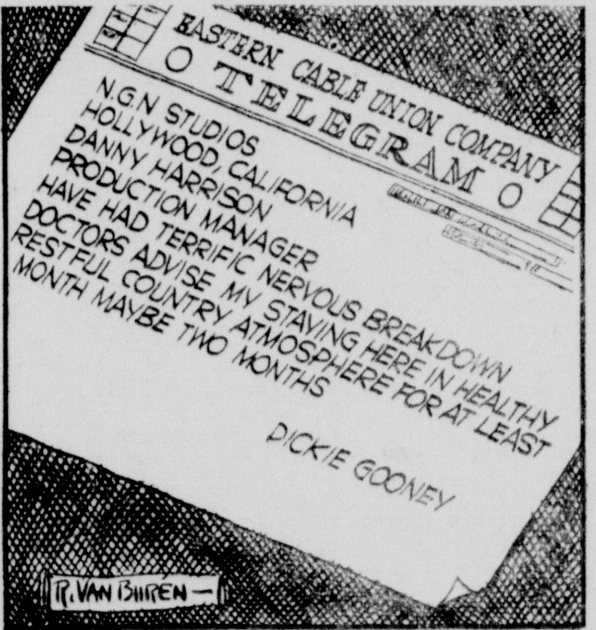
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of William Stainbrook, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Executrix of the Estate of William Stainbrook, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the County Court of Lee County at the Court House in Dixon, at the March

Term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

Dated this 18th day of January A. D. 1939.
Marie Stainbrook
(formerly Marie Barr)
Lillian Cooper
Executrices.
John J. Armstrong, Attorney.
Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution and fee bill issued out of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1938, at the instance of T. F. Christman, executor, plaintiff, and against E. C. Smith, doing business as Rossville Motor Company, Louise B. Smith, also known as L. B. Smith, and J. P. Burhenn, defendant, I have this 18th day of January, A. D. 1939, levied on all the right, title and life interest of J. P. Burhenn in the following described Real Estate, to-wit: The Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) and all that part of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Twenty (20) Township Twenty-one (21) North, Range Ten (10) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian lying North of the center of the public road known as the Chicago Road, two hundred forty-seven (247) acres, more or less, situated in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

And I hereby give notice that by virtue of the power in me vested by the said execution and fee bill, I shall on Thursday the 9th day of February, A. D. 1939, at 10:00 o'clock, offer for sale at the north door of the Court House in Dixon, in said County, the above described real estate to satisfy the said execution and fee bill.

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2:30 Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ
Hoosier Hop—WCFB
2:45 The Guiding Light—WMAQ
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3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
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3:30 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR
3:45 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Music Hall of Fame—WCFB
4:00 Houseboat Hannah—WLW
Manhattan Mother—WBEM

Board of Federation of Women's Clubs In Session

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—An alert, 91-year-old great-grandmother supervised parliamentary procedure today at the board meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

She is Mrs. Emma Fox of Detroit, who has served as parliamentarian for 21 conventions of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, 11 national congresses of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and so many others that she can not remember.

"I thoroughly enjoy it," Mrs. Fox said, pushing into place a strand of hair still far from white. "To me it's a game—and a fascinating one."

The club leaders heard a proposal for great annual celebrations in every county honoring boys and girls reaching the age of 21. Mrs. F. H. Clausen, of Horicon, Wis., chairman of American citizenship department of the federation, said there had been successful ones in several communities.

She recommended "a study of comparative citizenship in communistic, fascist and democratic countries in order 'to arouse the people to a renewed spiritual pride in America.'"

More than 100 national officers and presidents of state club federations assembled for the board session, to be followed by tea at the White House and an address by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt tonight.

Philosophically, Sabath added that he supposed there still would be complaints that the committee was not sufficiently fair or liberal and that it used obstructionist tactics.

"We can't please everybody," he said. "We can't let every bill that comes along go to the house floor."

President Roosevelt branded as an obstructionist the last chairman of the rules committee, John J. O'Connor of New York. Under O'Connor, who was defeated in November, the committee had bottled up wage-hour legislation for months.

Actually, Sabath hasn't always been a Democrat, for he was born in Bohemia 72 years ago and came to this country as an immigrant at 15.

He is one of the few survivors of the fight in 1910 that took away much of the autocratic control exercised by "Uncle Joe" Cannon as speaker of the house.

It was a squabble over a Sabath immigration bill that precipitated the battle. Now the committee which Sabath heads exercises a good share of the power "Uncle Joe" once held.

HORNER'S CHICAGO COHORTS DIVIDED IN MAYORAL FIGHT
Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The first of Governor Horner's Democratic followers to take sides in the Kelly-Courtney mayoral fight divided their allegiance today.

Mayor Edward J. Kelly's running mate for city clerk is Ludwig D. Schreiber, who as a Horner man was made treasurer of the Democratic state committee last year.

General A. F. Lorenzen, another staunch supporter of the governor in Democratic primary wars, became campaign manager for State's Attorney Thomas J. Courtney, Kelly's opponent.

Leading Horner strategists, meanwhile, didn't reveal what roles they would play. The governor, ill in Florida, isn't participating in the big Democratic fight of 1939. A year ago the Horner and Courtney factions joined to defeat the Kelly-Nash ticket.

Schreiber is a neighbor of Charles K. Schwartz, tax commissioner and Horner "regent", who said he didn't back the party treasurer for the Kelly ticket. Schwartz declined further comment.

James M. Slattery, commerce chairman and Horner campaign manager, and Martin J. O'Brien, public administrator and ward committeeman, haven't returned from Miami Beach, where the governor is recuperating.

The Kelly ticket was completed with Thomas S. Gordon of the Polish Daily News for city treasurer. In 1933 Horner appointed him a west park commissioner.

Arthur F. Albert, former Republican alderman, headed a Courtney Business Men's committee.

WILDCATS LEADERLESS
Evanston, Jan. 18.—Decision of the Northwestern team not to elect a captain for 1939 marks the first time the school has been without a football leader.

The principal address of the day will be given by "Anatua," a native of the Arctic Circle. Those who have heard her speak guarantee the undivided attention of any audience. She will tell of her life in Baffin Land as compared to civilization in this country. She keeps a crowd in an uproar or in wonderment by turns. Mr. Griffith especially urges everyone who can, to hear this talk.

Bowman Signs Contract For Year With Pirates
Pittsburgh, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Joe Bowman, big right-hander from Kansas City, Mo., returned today a signed contract for his third season with the Pittsburgh Pirates and reported he expected 1939 to be his best year in the majors.

The Pirates also announced that Ray Berres, a catcher from Kenosha, Wis., had signed for next season, his second with the Pirates. Berres caught 40 games last year and hit .230.

LODGE NEWS
Friendship Lodge—A special meeting of Friendship Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M. will be held at the Brinton Memorial Masonic Temple Thursday evening at 7:30 for work in the second degree. Following the meeting a social session will be enjoyed during which refreshments will be served.

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by GRACE ELLIOTT TAYLOR

PETER AND PETRONELLA

Down the sandy coil of the drive came a brown, slenderly made little girl in a blue cotton dress. The bright flowers glowed on either side of her. On the entrance gate, in neat gold letters was printed "The Forest House." She walked slowly, with bent, bright head. Every now and then she made an eager dive forward, and scrubbed the ground with her once white handkerchief.

"Petrel! What are you doing?" She looked up, startled. But it was only James Randall, the car and the trouble, leaning over the gate.

"Wiping up Peter's blood," she answered. Petronella Mallone was not angry with James.

"Aunt Maise said if Peter fought you again she might send him to camp. She's fed up with all the things he's been doing." How had Maise known he had been out all Monday night, watching the gipsies from the fair move camp? Petrel had let him in so quietly in the gray dawn. It had been another of Peter's expeditions. He had been to hear the things they said, and learn the trick of "Behaving the Lady." She was the only person who understood that his adventures were sensible.

Few people meet their fate, when they are six years old. Petronella had, when she learned over the ship-rail three years ago, and saw Peter and Aunt Maise waiting on a silvery dockside. She had been afraid. What would he be like? She remembered Mother reading letters from Aunt Maise, laughing at the naughty things he did. Father used to get angry, but she asked him what he expected, with an Irish father and a Russian mother. She had said "Make up your mind to it, Peter is born to trouble!"

Mother, dead! It frightened Petronella. After it had happened, in the white Inan hospital, Father had asked Mr. and Mrs. Grant to take her home. Soon, she would have only Peter.

But suddenly she had seen him. It was all right! Why, he was not even a stranger! He remembered that little dent in his chin, and that he had dusty eyelashes. Her brother! She was happy again.

"Sorry if I'm in trouble," James started to help her.

"He never bleeds for long. But could you teach him to fight?"

"No, he's lighter than I am. James felt a pang of jealousy. Petrel was good for a girl. Peter didn't know how good she was; bowing to him for hours in the hot sun, letting him in at night. He'd have been killed in the tunnel, that time he wanted to discover what it felt like when the train came through, if she had not reached him just in time, to tell him about the shelters, hollowed in the walls. Peter said the rush of wind had pulled her skirt, and made her scream and scream.

There was a shouting at the corner of the private road, James ran. It was Maise's mansion.

"Gate please, Petrel!" she called crisply. Sitting bolt upright at the car, she saw Peter, and pulled the car up with a jerk. She had seen James disappearing.

"Petrel, come here!" this taut woman, with the hat set tight on her gray head, could produce a voice like a sergeant major from within her small dry body. Petronella's heart hammered.

"Who won?" Maise demanded. "I-James," gasped Petrel. "I thought he would!" In dumb, warm gratitude, Petrel climbed in beside her.

To look at Maise Mallone, it would have seemed impossible that she could be a good foster mother to two children. But it was so. For those who knew her, her very charmlessness possessed a charm of its own. She had been a school teacher. Fifteen years ago, she had inherited money, and had taken the quiet, white gabled house in the Forest estate, above Ballfield village.

Life had given Maise none of the things she had set out in youth, desiring. Her pretty young sister had married the man she loved. She had taken Peter and Petronella, their children. They both loved her.

Tony Lance During the years that followed Petrel, James, and Peter all did the things Peter suggested.

Difference in age did not estrange Petronella and Peter. It

felt wrong to both. Soon, she would catch up. While they were still at school, Father's presence at home always seemed exciting and pleasant. He took them to musical comedies in London, to race meetings, cricket, polo. The friction between him and Peter increased so gradually that they scarcely noticed it.

Today, Peter would be pretty cranky. The old man is pretty cranky today," Peter would say. But the unsuccessful medical, which failed Peter, on eyesight, for the Military Police, accentuated it.

Aunt Maise was very worried by the uncertainty of his future. Father wanted him to go East, to Father's Rice Company. But Peter refused to submit to exile without first trying his luck at home.

Petronella, her father, and Maise went to watch Peter's last cricket match. The grass looked vivid green, that hot July day, and Maise had been trying to teach her to grow up. She let her choose her own clothes, and held Molly Lamming's dress-making up as an example. Aunt Maise had been trying to teach her to grow up. She let her choose her own clothes, and held Molly Lamming's dress-making up as an example.

Against the blue crepe of her plainest frock, Petrel's skin was the gold of apricots. Her youthful intent face, and her steady eyes watched Peter anxiously. "If only he survives the first few balls! Oh! he's hit a beauty!" she cried. Aunt Maise laid a hand on her.

"Shh! That isn't controlled!" Petronella smiled at her. Ever since Father's attempt to take her back to Burma next October, Aunt Maise had been trying to teach her to grow up. She let her choose her own clothes, and held Molly Lamming's dress-making up as an example.

She found herself watching Tony Lance, the bowler. He was dark. He looked a man, playing among boys. She learned that he had left Sutters three years ago. That he had played for Cambridge and Oxford.

If Peter's score had not climbed, Petronella would not have met Tony Lance. But by lunch, he had made 52 runs, and Father was called James, very big, fair, and good looking in his new gray suit, left Molly Lamming with his parents, to come and congratulate Peter.

"Keep it up!" He bent and told Petronella. "You look mighty nice!" Was James still crazy about Molly, as he'd told her, Petrel wondered. Perhaps it had to be exactly what Peter wanted.

"Talk of the devil!" said James. "Here's your adversary." It was Tony Lance, looking very impressive in his light blue blazer. He was tall, dark, tawny eyed. There was something hard about his long featured, handsome face, Petronella thought. He looked intelligent, but reserved, critical. But the next moment, she was being introduced to him. He smiled.

"How do you do?" For a moment, which seemed long, his unusual eyes met her. But when he turned away, she knew he had scarcely noticed her. She wished she were years older, beautiful and wearing frills, trills. If only she could have held his attention.

Peter made his century. Sometimes fate moves forward by way of disappointments. Petrel helped plan, and pack the two bulky, adventurous looking rucksacks.

She and her father watched the ship move slowly away from the quay. It was half dark, strange as a dream. There was a smell of seaweed, and the portholes were golden light. Suddenly Petrel started. That man, standing on the first class deck! Something about the casual, brooding way he leaned on the rail was instantly familiar. Tony Lance! She remembered him. "He's a journalist. He's with the Daily News. He speaks four languages. He's going abroad again."

A light caught his face. In that moment, Petronella knew. She stood staring, forgetting to wave and shout to the boys. How could she feel so certain? The words were in her mind. "He is part of my life! I'll meet him again. I can't help it!"

Father asked, "What's the matter, Petrel?"

She said, "Nothing," she said. They watched till the ship passed through the dark arm of the harbor entrance. Petrel was trembling. Where was he going? Would the boys make friends with him? When would she meet him again?

Capitol Hill

Some Items Behind the News in National Capital Today

BY BRUCE CATTON

NEA Service Staff Correspondent Washington, Jan. 18.—The triple-A crowd here is inclined to suspect that the exodus of Missouri sharecroppers is simply the nation's introduction to a problem which will loom larger and larger in the very near future.

This is the problem of the displaced farm laborer. The industrial revolution, the AAA people say, has at last caught up with the farmer and is doing to him what it did to the city worker years ago. There are now more farm workers than there is farm work, and the situation is getting worse.

AAA agents are now in the field, investigating charges that the Missouri marchers are dispossessed tenant farmers who were abruptly transformed into day laborers by landlords who didn't want to share AAA benefit checks. In some cases, say AAA benefit authorities here, these charges probably are true; but in many more, they assert, it is nothing more or less than mechanization that is responsible.

From Sharecropper to Migrant. Said one AAA official: "This Missouri 'hoot heel' country where the march is taking place is at the northern limit of the cotton belt, and itinerant cotton pickers land there along toward the end of the season. It's very rich land, and there has been much immigration to it, consequently, it has a large surplus population."

"There simply is no hope of settling these people on land there. The land just isn't available."

"These people are, for the most part, victims of a process that began in the far west and is working its way east. In Texas, for instance, there were 9000 farm tractors in 1920; last year there were 99,000. Each tractor displaced from one to nine families."

"What it amounts to, of course, is that the number of jobs in agriculture is shrinking. The farm is feeling the industrial revolution. As the process continues, the sharecropper will cease to be a problem, because he will keep turning into a migratory worker. In turn, the migratory worker will be up against it as more and more of his work is done by machinery."

FSA Puts Them Back on Land. The AAA authorities feel that their part in the Missouri exodus is, for the moment, more or less incidental.

Local authorities are reported to be giving the marchers food furnished by the Surplus Commodities Corporation, a subdivision of the Department of Agriculture. In addition, the Farm Settlement Administration is doing what it can to settle the migrants on the land.

That does not mean, that a jobless farm hand settled by the FSA becomes a land owner. What the FSA does is find land for him and act as a go-between, or broker, so that he can lease the land from the owner—almost invariably on share-the-crop terms. Then the FSA makes him a loan of \$200 or \$300. With this money he buys a mule, a plow, and such other tools as he needs, seed, and so on. The money with which he buys seed must be repaid within one year; the rest of the loan can run for five years. It bears 5 per cent interest.

The best, then, that the FSA can do for the Missouri marchers is make sharecroppers out of them.

BY JOHN T. FLYNN NEA Service Staff Correspondent. The President, in asking Con-

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Giannini The Giant

The spotlight of the Securities and Exchange Commission's investment trusts, now comes to rest upon the mighty Transamerica Corporation. . . . This is the last of three articles in which John T. Flynn, noted author-economist, examines this vast financial structure which was built by Amadeo Peter Giannini and now is being studied by the S. E. C. at hearings in Washington.

BY JOHN T. FLYNN

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Amadeo P. Giannini has devoted himself since 1932—despite the fact that he is approaching 70—to rebuilding the fortunes of his banking empire.

But always he keeps up his fight to spread his banking structure beyond the lines of California. Indeed, he is the spearhead in the battle to make branch banking and holding company banking national in its scope.

In pursuit of this he has allied himself with the New Deal. When the Banking Act of 1935 was adopted, many financial writers called it the Giannini bank plan.

Banking deposit insurance was a god-send to him and the Reserve Act which permitted the use of real estate mortgages as a basis for rediscounts at the Reserve banks was another, since his banks were filled with mortgage paper.

In 1937 he was working for a branch banking act which would enable him to spread out over a whole Federal Reserve district—the Twelfth, covering California, Nevada, Oregon, Washington and Arizona. The Transamerica already owns banks in those states.

Elisha Walker had sold the New York Bank of America to the National City in New York. The Transamerica holds the stock in the National City with which it was paid.

Giannini got someone to introduce an amendment to the banking act permitting cumulative voting for bank directors and by this means he got a directorship on the National City.

He knows how to play politics. Back in 1926 when a fight on branch banking was made in California, Giannini put his money and strength back of C. C. Young for governor. He turned his banking organization into a huge political army and had his branch managers soliciting votes for Young.

But now Giannini runs into an unexpected difficulty. The Transamerica Corporation, as already explained, owns all sorts of things.

It looks for all the world like one of those huge utility holding companies.

The Transamerica owns the Transamerica Bank Holding Company. That owns the Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association. That owns the Bank of America of California, the First National Corporation, the Bank of America d'Italia, the Capital Corporation and various kinds of financing concerns.

These companies are engaged in all sorts of enterprises from wild-cattling in oil to running hotels. The Transamerica Insurance Holding Company, the Occidental Life and other insurance stocks.

The Giannini banks, among their numerous other activities, have been the bankers to the movie industry, at which job Dr. Attilio H. Giannini, brother of Amadeo, has worked with amazing success.

It would take too much paper to picture the whole set-up. But tucked away amid these numerous corporations is an investment trust.

Giannini maintained the most cordial relations with Marriner Eccles of the Reserve Board, Henry Morgenthau of the Treasury, J. F. T. O'Connor of the Comptroller's office.

But his investment trust was in the jurisdiction of the implacable William O. Douglas of the S. E. C. And Douglas, through energetic Dave Schenker, was making an investigation of investment trusts.

So Giannini's investment trust had to be looked into. And the Transamerica now is on Bill Douglas' carpet.

Here is the big point! It is difficult to examine the affairs of a branch bank. It is so easy to shift assets around from one bank to another. But it is very much harder to examine the affairs of a holding company banking structure. It is so much easier to pass assets around from not only one bank to another but from one bank to a corporation.

For the same reason it is not easy to examine an investment

company which belongs to a bank holding company without examining the banks and the holding company and all the other real estate and security and oil companies as well. And thus the very issue of the holding company in the field of banking is on the carpet.

There is, of course, no charge that the Giannini banks are not safe, because they are safe. There is no charge that the Transamerica has done anything wrong.

But beyond a doubt, Douglas plans to exhibit the holding company banking structure as an instrument of banking which needs attention. It may very well be that with this hearing Giannini's dream of a national banking empire with his Transamerica will have to be modified.

Says Reckless Drivers Are Just Grown Up Kids

Amarillo, Tex.—(AP)—Best way to undrape a person's personality, manners and habits is to place him behind a steering wheel, says J. L. Dufort, psychology teacher at West Texas State College.

"The man who drives recklessly—darting in and out of traffic, hooting his horn hysterically and hogging the highway with blinding lights—is a grown-up child having a temper tantrum," said the professor.

"An automobile just brings his accumulative stock of habits to the surface."

Student Gives Professor Some Pointers on Chess

Amherst, Mass.—(AP)—John C. Rather of Brooklyn, Amherst college freshman, played six professors simultaneously in a chess game recently, defeated five of them and tied the other.

Then he pointed out to the professors where they made their mistakes. The faculty, at an early date, expects to throw in its first team against Rather.

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